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BOOMING J. J. HILL FOR WILSON CABINET

Northwest Is Backing Him, and Its Emissary Has Been from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

INFLUENTIAL MEN SOUNDED

Railroad Builder Who Is Also a Master of Agricultural Science Urged for Secretary of Agriculture.

Out of the great Northwest there has come a boom for James J. Hill for Secretary of Agriculture in the Wilson Cabinet. The master builder of railroads and the "empire builder" of the Northwest is presented also as a master of ideas of agricultural development. It was learned yesterday that preparations are under way to bring the boom directly to the door of President-elect Wilson at the earliest possible opportunity. In the meantime, it is understood, the great railroad man, retired, and advancing toward his 75th birthday, is being urged by his admirers to view the headship of the Agricultural Department as a crowning triumph of his career.

About the middle of last month the State of Minnesota promoted a great agricultural and conservation congress, the second of its kind ever held in the Northwest. James J. Hill was the leading spirit in that convention, and among other things he advocated a rural credit system for the development of farming. His proposal was the result of twenty or thirty years of intensive study in agriculture, it was said at the time. It has long been conceded that he has done more for the development of agriculture in the Northwest than any other man.

In connection with the agricultural congress Mr. Hill gave a luncheon at the Minneapolis Club, to which the Governor of Minnesota, the Commissioners of the congress, the officers of the congress, the speakers, and a number of prominent Minnesota bankers were invited. It was at this luncheon, it was said yesterday, that Mr. Hill was first talked of as an ideal man for Secretary of Agriculture.

Before the congress Mr. Hill outlined his farm credit system, and announced that the Second National Bank of St. Paul, which was a consolidation of the two Hill banks in St. Paul, was soon to adopt the plan he proposed by lending money to the farmers at a low rate of interest. The Minnesota papers devoted pages to the scheme, and praised Mr. Hill for his efforts to improve agricultural conditions and reduce the high cost of living.

Bankers Start the Ball Rolling.

Bankers in St. Paul and Minneapolis, following the popular enthusiasm with which Mr. Hill was greeted, organized a working committee after the close of the congress, having in view the presentation of Mr. Hill's name to President-elect Wilson. Among the bankers interested were W. H. Dunwiddie, Vice President of the Northwestern National Bank of Minneapolis, who is a Director in the Great Northern Railroad; F. A. Chamberlain, President of the Security National Bank of Minneapolis; W. B. Dean, President of the Second National Bank of St. Paul, Mr. Hill's own bank, and Joseph Chapman, another Vice President of the Northwestern National Bank of Minneapolis.

It is considered opportune that Mr. Hill is at the present time not actively engaged in business of any kind, using most of his time to further just such measures as would make a Secretary of Agriculture popular in a Presidential Administration. Following his resignation as President of the Great Northern Railway five years ago came the announcement last June that he had also resigned as Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Great Northern in favor of his son, Louis W. Hill.

Apart from a trip made by an emissary, a relative, it is said, of Mr. Hill, to New York to dine with men of political influence, it was remembered yesterday that James J. Hill appeared in New York himself on Dec. 19, when he spoke at length at a dinner of the Business Men's Association at the Waldorf. He was introduced as "that rugged, lion-hearted, brain-ballasted hero of our business life," and he was cheered for more than a minute. His speech at that time was devoted to a criticism of conditions which did not permit railroads to earn greater returns on their investment, but on most occasions of this kind within recent years, however, Mr. Hill has talked of little save agriculture.

In a letter to THE TIMES dated Aug. 20 last Mr. Hill discussed the need of adequate technical training for the farmer.

Farmers Should Be Taught.

"Our experiment stations, schools, and colleges," he wrote, "are doing good work, but it falls short of our immediate needs. They are mainly engaged in educating teachers. Meantime the farm itself languishes. Only a small percentage of the children of farmers become students in these institutions. Only a small percentage of those go back to the farm. The soil is tilled, the crops are raised, for the most part, by men who cannot attend colleges, high schools, or extension courses. In a generation or two the educational process going on may leaven the whole lump. But the country cannot afford to wait for that.

"The condition of the farm and the statistics of production cry out for instruction, and at once, for the whole body of farmers. Soils that once produced from 25 to 40 bushels of wheat to the acre now give from 10 to 20. England and Germany, once as reckless of impoverished soils as we, have raised their average yield to more than twice ours, under far less favorable circumstances. We can do the same with greater ease.

"Soil examination, fertilization, seed selection, rotation of crops, and thorough and repeated cultivation—these are the essentials. By nothing more than the adoption of these methods $8,000,000,000 or $9,000,000,000 might be added yearly to the National wealth, and the farmers of the country be elevated to apparent affluence.

"Agricultural education of to-day, then, resolves itself into the extremely practical question of how to get, not students, but the man actually on the farm, to do these simple things that transform farming from a laborious occupation of many hazards into a safe, profitable industry."

James J. Hill was born at Guelph, Canada, Sept. 16, 1838, the son of a farmer. The present Secretary of Agriculture, James Wilson, is just one year his senior. He received his first education at Rickwood Academy, near his home, but went to work at an early age, his first employment away from his father's farm being with the Northwestern Packet Company in 1856. It was here that he gained his first experience in transportation.

The Northwest Believes in Him.

Soon after he established a fuel and transportation business of his own and became a pioneer in traffic in the Northwest. He organized the Red River Transportation Company after the close of the civil war, and at the same time

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A. E. SMITH FOR SPEAKER.

To Succeed Merritt in the Chair of the Lower House at Albany.

ALBANY, Dec. 29.—The legislative caucuses will be held Tuesday evening. Senator Robert F. Wagner of New York will be elected by the Democratic Senators as President pro tempore of the Senate, which carries with it the majority leadership of that body. The Republicans are expected to select as their leader either Senator-elect Elon R. Brown of Watertown or Senator J. Henry Walters of Syracuse.

Alfred E. Smith of the Second New York District will be named for the Speakership of the Assembly by the Democrats to succeed E. A. Merritt, Jr., now a Representative in Congress. Former Speaker Robert P. Bush of Chemung and Edward D. Jackson of Erie are candidates for the Democratic leadership of the House, a post held by Mr. Smith for two years.

The Republican Assemblymen will pick a leader from among several candidates, including Harold J. Hinman of Albany, C. W. Phillips of Monroe, and John Leo Sullivan of Chautauqua.

The Legislature is expected to adjourn from Wednesday to the following Monday, when committee assignments will be announced by Lieut. Gov. Martin H. Glynn, who will preside in the Senate, and the Speaker of the Assembly.

Senator James J. Frawley of New York probably will retain his place as Chairman of the Senate Finance Committee; Senator John F. Murtaugh of Elmira is slated to succeed Senator Howard R. Bayne as Chairman of Judiciary, and Senator Thomas H. Cullen of Brooklyn is to continue as Chairman of the Cities Committee.

TWO DEAD IN NEWPORT FIRE.

Among Buildings Burned Was House Built in 1693—$200,000 Loss.

Special to The New York Times.

NEWPORT, R. I., Dec. 29.—Two lives were lost early this morning in a fire which caused a property loss of $200,000. Firemen and policemen, searching through burned dwellings after the fire, discovered the charred bodies of Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Heath. Mr. Heath was 70 years old and an invalid. Appearances indicated that his wife attempted to carry him from their burning home, when both were overcome by smoke.

The buildings destroyed were the house of Gov. Bull, one of the Colonial Governors of Rhode Island, which was built in 1693; the planing mill of M. A. McCormick, the store of the Weaver Company, dwellings of James Kane, Constance Smith, and Peleg Bryer, and Frederick Bloom's carriage repair shop. Other dwelling houses were damaged. About half the total loss is covered by insurance.

Lieut. Commander Harry K. Cage, U. S. N., with Lieuts. F. H. Sadler and Joseph R. Morrison, U. S. N., and 400 apprentice seamen from the Naval Training Station, with a powerful steam fire engine and three hose carts, assisted the Newport Fire Department.

STOPS FOUR-HORSE RUNAWAY

Police Sergeant Dragged Two Blocks, but Nobody Else Is Hurt.

Four horses, harnessed to a Borden Milk Company truck and left driverless for a few moments, were standing in front of the company's station in Liberty Avenue, East New York, yesterday afternoon, when a boy throwing snowballs struck one of them in the head. They reared and bolted down the street.

They had worked themselves into a state of panic which quickly communicated itself to the clusters of children trooping to Sunday school, when Mounted Police Sergeant Atwater of the Liberty Avenue Station saw them from his seat in a trolley car. The next moment he got in their path and jumped for the bridle. He grabbed it, but the frightened animals hardly faltered. Two blocks they dragged Atwater until he finally broke their course by switching them into a telegraph pole that snapped at the base. But it served to veer the runaways, and they came to a stop with a crash into a wooden fence.

Even then Atwater did not loosen his grip. It was not until other men ran forward to relieve him that he dropped to the ground, white and exhausted. His body was bruised from head to toe, and his scalp was laid open in an ugly wound. But no one else had been hurt.

INSANE NEGRO FELLS GUARDS

Breaks from Straitjacket and Flees Scantily Clad in Brooklyn.

Whalley Simmons, a negro, 6 feet 3 inches in height and weighing more than 200 pounds, was taken from his home, at 88 Fleet Street, Brooklyn, to the Kings County Hospital, Clarkson Street and Albany Avenue, Flatbush, last night, and put under observation for acute mania. At 9:30 o'clock Simmons suddenly became violent, tore off a straitjacket in which his arms were bound, threw off the attendants who tried to overpower him, and ran out of the hospital.

One of the attendants was stunned and others were severely injured in their struggle with the powerful man, but he was followed out of the hospital by Dr. John Russell, the Superintendent, and keepers. The building is surrounded by shrubbery, and in the darkness Simmons was lost to view. In a few minutes the alarm bell of the hospital rang out an alarm, and the reserves from the Snyder Street Station were sent to search the neighborhood of the hospital.

One of the searchers came across Simmons hiding behind a bush, but the maniac ran away before his discoverer could stop him. The fugitive wore little clothing. Followed by policemen, hospital attendants, and others who joined the chase, Simmons ran along Clarkson Street to Albany Avenue, and then turned into the hills in the Pittown district. Although he was in his bare feet, the negro distanced his pursuers.

After his second escape Simmons was not seen again for some time, when he appeared in Reid Avenue. Policeman Valentine Ebel of the Ralph Avenue Station saw the scantily clothed men and called to him to stop. The policeman fired his revolver several times and ran after the negro.

Simmons led Ebel and other pursuers in a chase along Reid Avenue, Broadway, and Suydam Street. These streets were fairly crowded, but the appearance of the runaway negro frightened those ahead of him into giving him a clear path.

At Suydam Street Simmons jumped aboard a Reid Avenue car. The conductor and passengers were afraid to attack the negro, and he made no show of violence on the car. After riding several blocks he jumped off and took another Reid Avenue car in the opposite direction. This time he jumped off at De Kalb Avenue. Policeman Ebel, who had followed him in another car, was soon on his trail again. The negro, exhausted by his long run, staggered and fell to the sidewalk before he had gone much further. The policeman grappled with him and overpowered him. Simmons was then taken to the Ralph Street Station under a strong guard, and later returned to the Kings County Hospital.

Latest Shipping News.

BY MARCONI WIRELESS—SS Laurentic, (White Star Line,) Liverpool to New York, was 1,360 miles east of Sandy Hook at 8 P. M.; due Jan. 2, 2 P. M. SS Patricia, (Hamburg-American Line,) Hamburg to New York, was 1,226 miles east of Sandy Hook at 8 P. M.; due Jan. 3, 8:30 A. M.

$40,000,000 SURPLUS FROM OUR PROSPERITY

Secretary MacVeagh Looks for This Comfortable Showing on June 30 Next.

CORPORATION TAX TO DO IT

Four Years' Receipts Will Amount to $112,050,000; May Pay for Panama Canal in Ten.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—The prosperity of the country is reflected in the condition of the United States Treasury at the close of the calendar year 1912, which also marks the end of the first half of the fiscal year 1913. Secretary MacVeagh estimates that on June 30 next there will be a surplus of $40,000,000 in the ordinary receipts of the Government.

At the close of business yesterday the ordinary receipts of the Government for the first half of the current fiscal year aggregated $346,964,922.45, while the ordinary disbursements during the same period were $349,781,886.25. This represented a deficit of $2,816,963.80 in the ordinary operations of the Federal Treasury. It is estimated that the corporation tax collections this year will aggregate about $29,000,000, of which about $27,000,000 is yet to be collected. The bulk of this tax will not be paid until June 30 next, but it is just as certain a collection as if it were all in the Treasury at this moment, and will wipe out the present deficit of $2,816,963 in the ordinary account, leaving a surplus in ordinary receipts and disbursements of about $25,000,000 as of Dec. 30, 1912. During the balance of the fiscal year, it is estimated, the receipts will exceed disbursements by about $15,000,000, which, added to the surplus of $25,000,000 already in sight, gives Secretary MacVeagh's estimate of a surplus of $40,000,000 in round numbers on June 30 next.

Customs Increase of $15,302,370.79.

Up to the close of business in the Treasury yesterday the revenue collected from customs amounted to $162,545,210.56, as compared with a customs collection of $147,142,849.77 during the first six months of the fiscal year 1912, ended with December, 1911. So far this year the customs revenue is $15,302,370.79 ahead of what it was this time last year. It is estimated that the total collection from customs during the fiscal year 1913 will be $328,000,000, and this leaves $165,500,000, in round numbers, to be gathered in from the Custom Houses between Jan. 1 and July 1 next.

Internal revenue receipts are also increasing. The total collection from ordinary internal revenue receipts up to the close of business yesterday was $157,362,358.78, as compared with $147,755,975.58 collected during the same period last year. Exclusive of the corporation tax, which does not have to be paid before June 30, 1913, the internal revenue collections during the first half of the current fiscal year are therefore $9,606,383.15 greater than for the same period a year ago.

Already there has been collected $2,293,282.58 from the corporation tax for the current year, as compared with $1,811,845.89 taken in during the first half of the last fiscal year. The bulk of this tax will be paid during the last few days of next June, and the Treasury officials are counting on not less than $29,000,000 as this fiscal year's corporation tax contribution. The collections in previous years from the corporation tax, which has been collected only since the Payne law went into effect, in 1909, have been $20,951,000 in the fiscal year 1910, $32,516,000 in the fiscal year 1911, $29,583,000 in the fiscal year 1912, and $29,000,000 as the estimated collection to be made during the fiscal year 1913.

Corporation Tax a Money-Maker.

These figures show the success of the corporation tax as a revenue producer, and indicate that, for the first four years of its operation, it will have increased Uncle Sam's wealth by $112,050,000. The total amount spent on the purchase and construction of the Panama Canal to this date has been $296,818,291.43. At the present rate of collection the corporation taxes paid to the Federal Government within ten years will be sufficient to meet all the bills thus far incurred in the canal work.

The grand total of the ordinary receipts of the Government up to the close of business yesterday from customs, internal revenue, corporation tax, and miscellaneous sources was $346,964,922.45, as compared with $322,377,787.41 during the same period a year ago. The total ordinary receipts therefore show an increase of $24,587,135 for the first six months of the current year, as compared with the same months last year. The total ordinary disbursements to date this year have been $349,781,886.25, as compared with $345,836,357.23 last year, an increase in disbursements this year of $3,945,529.

The excess of ordinary disbursements over ordinary receipts yesterday was $2,816,963.80, as compared with a deficit of $23,458,569.82 in the ordinary operations of the Government one year ago. This is a gain of over $20,000,000 over last year. Although expenditures have been heavier during the past six months than a year ago by $3,945,529, the Treasury report showing is far ahead of last year's because of an increase of $24,908,753 in customs and internal revenue receipts.

The disbursements on account of the Panama Canal this year have been $20,330,878.32, which have been met entirely out of the general fund of the Treasury, with no sale of Panama Canal bonds. Last year for the same period disbursements for the canal amounted to $18,054,233.53, wholly met by drafts upon the proceeds of Panama Canal bonds, amounting to $33,189,104.15, issued during the past year. The result is a deficit of $20,330,878.32 in this year's Panama Canal account, as compared with a surplus of $15,134,870.62 in the Panama Canal account on this day last year.

The public debt account shows a deficit of $2,807,478 so far this year, as compared with a deficit of $7,170,067 this time last year. Public debt receipts up to yesterday amounted to $8,878,187 for the past six months, as compared with $6,617,787 last year. The public debt receipts this year include $854,860 received from the sale of postal savings bank bonds, as compared with receipts of $41,900 from this source a year ago.

With a deficit of $2,816,963.80 in the ordinary receipts and disbursements and a deficit of $20,330,878.32 in the Panama Canal account, and also a deficit of $2,807,437 in the public debt account, the excess of all disbursements over all receipts yesterday amounted to $25,955,315.12, as compared with a deficit of $15,493,766.73 in all accounts this time last year.

With $27,000,000 yet to be collected from the corporation tax, this will wipe out the present deficit of $2,816,916 in the ordinary account, and show a surplus of $25,000,000 in the ordinary account, which

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CONSERVING THE NATION'S HEALTH

Some of the big problems that face the country and indicate the need of a National Bureau of Health. Read about it in

NEXT SUNDAY'S TIMES.

ROOSEVELT TO SHOW JAPAN SOUGHT PEACE

Will Reveal Mikado's Letter Asking Him to Open a Way to End Russian War.

TRIED TO GET LETTER BACK

Viscount Aoki Said to Have Been Recalled as Ambassador for Failing to Do So.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—New light of a surprising kind will be thrown on the negotiations preceding the close of the Russo-Japanese War in a series of papers now in preparation by ex-President Theodore Roosevelt. The papers, which will be published in a magazine, will be in the form of an autobiography. Naturally this will be devoted in large measure to the private side of public events, and one chapter will tell interesting things about the Portsmouth Peace Conference between the Russian and Japanese diplomats.

It has long been known that the war brought Japan almost to the verge of bankruptcy, but the general opinion has prevailed that after the severe defeats at Port Arthur and along the Yalu River it was the Russians who sued for peace. But, as Col. Roosevelt will tell the story, it was the victorious Japanese who took the first step to end the war. The offer of this Government to assist in terminating hostilities came, not on the suggestion of Russia, but at the direct request of Japan.

Col. Roosevelt has at his disposal documentary proof of his account of the peace negotiations. Most striking of the papers that he will bring forward is a personal letter from the late Mikado to President Roosevelt asking him to open a way for peace negotiations. The text of this letter will be printed in the Portsmouth chapter, and is expected to produce a sensation in Japan. It is recalled that the terms finally accepted by Japan were bitterly resented by the Japanese people, and it is thought that the publication now of a letter from the Mikado almost interceding for peace will revive the old feeling against the Government, if not against the Throne.

During the Russian War Baron Kogoro Takahira was Japanese Minister to the United States, and he became one of the Japanese peace envoys to the Portsmouth conference. Presumably he presented to President Roosevelt the Emperor's letter that brought about the conference. On the conclusion of peace the Japanese Legation here was raised to the rank of an embassy, and Viscount Aoki came from Berlin as the first Japanese Ambassador.

In official circles here there has long been a story—never before published—that the Viscount's most important mission to Washington was the recovery of the text of the Emperor's letter to President Roosevelt. In that purpose, however, he failed. In his stay in Washington many important events took place. The Japanese school controversy swept the Pacific Coast, and Viscount Aoki handled the situation admirably. At about that time the American battleship fleet sailed around the world, touching at Japanese ports. In both these incidents the Ambassador's ability was fully displayed.

But without any warning he was recalled, because, as diplomats here believe, he could not induce President Roosevelt to return the letter. However that may be, the Viscount reached Yokohama in obedience to a summons to counsel without knowing that disgrace awaited him. He was met by an imperial functionary, and his own confidence in his good fortune was so evident that not until the train was within a few minutes of Tokio did the functionary force himself to tell the Ambassador that he was recalled for good. The Ambassador, it is said, almost collapsed.

The Mikado's determination to recover the letter, it is said, explains the reassignment of Baron Takahira to Washington, this time as Ambassador. He returned to Washington in February, 1908, about a year before President Roosevelt's term expired, and he was one of the last to leave the ex-President when he boarded the train that took him back to private life. But he did not get the letter, and in September, 1909, he was recalled to Japan to receive domestic honors.

ENJOYS HIS CIGAR AT 99.

Four Generations at Ernest Bach's Birthday Celebration.

Surrounded by one great-granddaughter, two granddaughters, both of whom are married, and two daughters and a host of other relatives and friends, Ernest Bach celebrated his ninety-ninth birthday yesterday at the home of his granddaughter, Mrs. Frank Broom, at 34 Renner Avenue, Newark.

Mr. Bach, who was born in Emmendinger, Baden, Germany, came to America when 29 years old. He retired from active business in 1881 and has since resided with his daughters and granddaughters. He is remarkably vigorous for his age, enjoys his daily cigar, reads without glasses, and maintains very good health.

Hurt in Auto Collision.

Vice President Frank Williams of the Chelsea Savings Bank was slightly injured late yesterday afternoon, when his automobile collided at Fifth Avenue and Fifty-fourth Street, with the car of Zachrin Altberg of 102 East Twenty-fifth Street. Mr. Williams declined to go to a hospital, but returned immediately to his home, at 243 West Ninety-eighth Street.

Dead at the Age of 105.

NEW LONDON, Conn., Dec. 29.—Mrs. Mary Ann Peterson died here to-day at a home for aged women in her 106th year. She was born in New London on Aug. 22, 1807. She had been in good health until a few days ago.

No New Year's dinner complete without a bottle of Angostura Bitters. Delicious appetizer.—Adv.

POLICE TAKE GANG FOR BLOWING SAFES

Five Men and Two Women Are Arrested in Bronx with Dynamite and Drills.

FOUR HELD AS PRINCIPALS

Leader, Only 18 Years Old, Said to Have Confessed—Explains Robberies Aggregating $10,000.

Locked up in the Morrisania Police Station, at Third Avenue and 160th Street, are five men and two young women, four of the men, according to the police, being members of the gang of safeblowers who for five weeks have been wrecking the safes of Bronx merchants, with the result that the victims have lost cash to the amount of at least $10,000 and several thousand dollars' worth of merchandise. The women are held as material witnesses, as is the fifth man.

These are the prisoners who the police say have blown open eleven safes within the last five weeks and whose operations were so skillfully planned and executed that at times it seemed impossible that they ever would be caught.

HARRY ROSS, 18 years old, who says he is an electrician, of 1,239 Bryant Avenue.

ANTONIO CAGGIANO, 24 years old, a driver, who gives his address as Elton Avenue and 159th Street.

LOUIS CAPOZZI, 18 years old, a rock driller, of 248 East 150th Street.

HENRY ALBRECHT, 19 years old, a butcher, of 1,054 Hall Place.

These four are held as principals, one of whom, Ross, according to the police, made a confession to Capt. Samuel Price, in command of the Bronx Detective Bureau, in which he told Capt. Price how the gang had managed to break into eleven stores and loot as many safes.

The three prisoners held as material witnesses are:

PASQUALE FRUSCHINO, a saloon keeper, of 310 East 149th Street.

JOSEPHINE PAUL SACHS, 19 years old, who gave her address as 908 Freeman Street.

MITA BRIGGS, 19 years old, of 1,084 Lowell Place.

In addition to the above seven prisoners, the police also have in custody George Geller, address unknown, who was arrested early Saturday morning by Mounted Policeman Johansmeyer and who, when taken before Capt. Price admitted he was one of the safeblowing gang and gave to the detectives the information that led to the arrest of the others.

For more than a month all the detectives in the Bronx have been working day and night to find a clue which would lead to the capture of the safeblowers. Several times they thought they were on the right trail, but each time the information proved worthless, until Johansmeyer, while riding down Vyse Avenue early Saturday morning, had his attention drawn to a man whom he saw standing behind the bar in Frederick Grebber's saloon, at 1,463 Vyse Avenue.

The man in the saloon, who was Geller, saw the policeman, and immediately darted out of the place and fled in the direction of Hoe and Jennings Streets. He ran into a house at that corner and sought refuge in the cellar, where Johansmeyer found him.

Johansmeyer took him to the Morrisania Station, and Capt. Price, taking him in hand, found he had a pistol, thirty cartridges, and a ring of skeleton keys. Geller told Price all he knew about the operations of the gang of which Ross is said to be the leader.

Geller said it was his initiation into the safe-blowing industry, and that he was being used as a lookout when Johansmeyer discovered him. Geller said the gang would be found in a furnished flat at 908 Freeman Street, and four detectives were sent to that address. They arrived there about 4:30 Saturday afternoon to find that Ross and his companions had deserted the place less than half an hour before the arrival of the police. In some way they had learned of Geller's confession.

It took an hour for the detectives to strike the new trial, but they finally located it, and it led to a house at 2,552 Seventh Avenue. That house was shadowed, and early Saturday night the Sachs woman was seen to enter. Capt. Price, Lieut. Wines, and Detectives Mayer and Cavanaugh followed her into the house.

They found the woman in a wretchedly furnished five-room flat. She admitted she was waiting for Ross, Caggiano, and Capozzi. Caggiano was the first to show up, and he nearly fainted when he saw the detectives in the room with the woman. Next to appear was Capozzi, and finally, soon after midnight, Ross, who, the police say, is the brains of the gang, came in.

The three men and the woman were arrested. Capt. Price and his men searched the place. They found five suit cases and a kit of burglar tools. In one of the suit cases were five sticks of dynamite, a quantity of caps used for the exploding of dynamite, a quantity of fuse and some wires. In the kit of tools were several electric drills for opening safes.

About 3 o'clock yesterday morning the detectives looking for Albrecht found him. He was escorting Mita Briggs to her home. He was arrested and his companion taken along as a material witness. The girl belongs to an excellent family, and said that she was to have been married to Albrecht next Sunday.

On Albrecht the police found a gold Masonic emblem belonging to one of the proprietors of Teitelbaum's furniture store, at 538 Westchester Avenue, another of the stores recently robbed. This emblem was among the articles taken out of the Teitelbaum safe. Albrecht also wore one of the "Long" derby hats.

When the round-up was complete the prisoners were taken to the Morrisania Station. Ross is said to have confessed that he and his companions were responsible for the Bronx safe robberies. Among the stores he is said to have admitted were broken into by the gang are the butcher shop of Filstein Brothers on Intervale Avenue, where $250 was taken; the United Cigar Store, at 183d Street and Third Avenue; Long's Hat Store, at Third Avenue and 145th Street; the United Cigar Store at Wilkins and Freeman Avenues; Schuck Brothers butcher shop at 145th Street and Third Avenue; Teitelbaum's Furniture Store, at 538 Westchester Avenue, and N. Wolf & Son, 2,197 Tremont Avenue.

Last night the police arrested another man. He gave his name as Ingavold Cornelison, a machinist, of 429 East 147th Street. Cornelison was taken to Headquarters and questioned by Deputy Commissioner Dougherty, who late last night said he had secured confessions from all of those accused as principals in the case.

In talking of the case Dougherty explained how easy it is to crack an ordinary safe such as is commonly used in small mercantile establishments. He used a safe in his own office to illustrate his contention.

"I don't want to destroy city property," he said, "but I'll bet I could make a hole in that safe in ten minutes, and I'll show you just how these fellows worked."

He placed the drill at a point between the two knobs of the double door of the safe, put the other end of the implement against his chest, and began to easily turn the handle on the larger wheel of the drill. It turned the smaller wheel, and the bitt rapidly ate into the heavy iron door. Within ten minutes he withdrew the drill and showed a small hole.

"Now," he said, "all these fellows have had to do is to place a fulminating cap in this hole, attach a fuse, and connect with an electric light socket. As soon as the juice was turned on the explosion would break the bolt of the safe and all they had to do was to turn the handle, and the safe was open.

"It is absolutely the best system of safe-cracking that has ever been devised, I believe, and it is the simplest. The point where they drill the hole is where the bolt of the safe invariably is."

WOMAN CAN LIVE ON $7.20.

That Sum Weekly Will Provide Bare Necessities in Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 29.—Self-supporting women require at least $7.20 a week in this city to provide the bare necessities of life, according to a circular issued to-day by the Commission on Social Service of the Interchurch Federation of Philadelphia. In advising women and girls who come here to accept employment the commission says the weekly cost of living is as follows: Room rent, with two meals, $5; luncheons, $1.20; clothing and incidentals, $1.

The commission in its circular says: "So many dangers beset the self-supporting woman who has an inadequate wage or is out of employment for any length of time that we feel justified in issuing this caution and warning."

WON'T HOLD CHANDOR INSANE

Magistrate Refuses to Send Him to an Asylum at Brothers' Request.

Jack F. Chandor arrived at the Grand Central Station from Denver yesterday. He was arrested there on a warrant charging he was insane. He took the detective who served it to breakfast at the Hotel Belmont, and then went before Magistrate Freschi, where he found his brothers, Harold A. Chandor, a broker of 14 Wall Street, and Reginald F. Chandor. They asked that he be sent to an asylum.

Magistrate Freschi questioned Jack F. Chandor for more than half an hour, and found his answers so intelligent that he said he could see no reason at all for making any commitment. He paroled Chandor until a further hearing this morning, when the mother of the three brothers will have arrived from Irvington, N. Y.

Chandor said that he had come on from Denver in response to a telegram from his brothers, in which they had promised him $800 for a European trip. The brothers would not discuss the matter.

MARCH FROM CHURCH AFIRE.

Two Hundred Sunday School Children Saved by Teachers' Coolness.

CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—Singing "Onward Christian Soldiers," 200 children, members of a Sunday school class, marched out of their classroom here to-day through smoke from a fire that destroyed the Lorimer Memorial Baptist Church. Mrs. Elmer Anderson, organist, and Miss Martha Marquardt, teacher of a primary class, played the music and led the singing until all the children were in safety. By that time the flames were so close to the two women that they were forced to flee, abandoning their coats and furs.

The fire was discovered by a mounted policeman while the Sunday school was in session. Observing smoke coming from a window, he found that the entire basement of the church was on fire. He ran up stairs and asked the teachers of the Sunday school to play something the children could march to. The entire structure was in flames by the time the last child was out and the two teachers had escaped.

FARMER AND WIFE BURNED.

Charred Bodies Found in Ruins of Their Dutchess County Home.

Special to The New York Times.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Dec. 29.—The charred bodies of George Vosburgh, a wealthy Dutchess County farmer, and his wife were found early this morning in the cellar of their dwelling, which had been burned to the ground. It was at first reported that Mr. and Mrs. Vosburgh had probably been robbed and murdered, and their house set on fire, but District Attorney Mack and Sheriff Townsend, on their return from the scene late to-night, said that they were unable to find any evidence of foul play. The Vosburghs were well-to-do people, and lived about two miles from Pine Plains. It is known that Mr. Vosburgh had a considerable sum of money in the house on Saturday night.

Under the floor of the bedroom, lying on the foundation of the burned building, was found a revolver which, it is thought, Mr. Vosburgh had in his home. The county authorities will make a thorough investigation of the affair.

MAD DOG WATCHED HOUSE.

Owner's Wife Kept Prisoner and Owner Not Allowed to Enter.

Special to The New York Times.

VINELAND, N. J., Dec. 29.—When Benjamin Huston returned to his home on the outskirts of this place early this morning he found a strange dog on guard. Every attempt of his to enter the house was checked by the dog, which snapped at him and headed him off, even when he endeavored to get in by the rear door. Huston aroused some of his neighbors, and after borrowing a shotgun returned to the house and killed the dog, which showed every sign of rabies. Then he learned that his wife had been kept a terrified prisoner in the house all day. When she attempted to go out in the morning the dog tried to bite her, and so it was all day.

There is no telephone in the house and no neighbor within hailing distance, so that the terrified woman passed hours alone till her husband returned.

TRY RECALL ON MAYOR.

Ocean City, N. J., Has a Petition to Oust Hoadley for Extravagance.

OCEAN CITY, N. J., Dec. 29.—Practically all of the hundred signatures required by law have been obtained to a petition to recall Mayor Harry Hoadley of this city from office. Mayor Hoadley was elected a year ago, and is the first Mayor under the newly adopted commission form of government. It is alleged by his opponents that his administration has been an extravagant one, and that he has depleted the city treasury.

"The affairs of the city, especially finances, were never in better shape," asserted Mayor Hoadley to-night. "I challenge any person to dispute this statement. Our income will exceed our expenditures by a substantial sum, a condition which has never been obtained in the past twenty years. I propose to continue in exactly the same course, and upon the same lines as in the past, because I am confident that the property owners and the best people of Ocean City approve of what I have done."

MASTIFF ATTACKS CHILD.

Eleven-Year-Old Boy, Rescued from Dog in Cellar, May Die.

Charles A. Weckerle, 11 years old, is in a serious condition in St. Mary's Hospital in Jamaica. He was attacked by a mastiff belonging to his father, John Weckerle, yesterday afternoon. The lad was bitten several times on the right arm, right leg, and also in the lower part of the stomach.

The boy went into the cellar to play with the dog, and it attacked him. The father, who was in the dining room, heard his cries and rescued him.

NOTABLE WINTER RESORTS OF THE WORLD.
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GARMENT WORKERS CHEER STRIKE ORDER

150,000 Members of the Allied Unions State the Demands They Would Enforce.

WANT 20 PER CENT. MORE PAY

With an Eight-Hour Day and the Abolition of Tenement House Work and Sub-Contracting.

The general strike of 150,000 workers on men's and boys' garments in this city and Newark was formally announced last evening by the Committee of Five in charge of the fight for better conditions by authorization of the New York District Council of the United Garment Workers of America.

Although the men understood when they quit work on Saturday that the strike was assured, they fairly swarmed in and about the Forward Building at yesterday's meeting to hear the final decision. It was received with enthusiasm, and a committee of one thousand was appointed to go through the shops to-day all over the city to see that the strike order was obeyed, or at least that no worker should remain at his post in ignorance of the plans for the labor war.

The principal demands of the strikers were for an eight-hour day, for the abolition of tenement house work, sub-contracting, and foot power and gas pressing engines. The workers want higher wages, amounting at a 20 per cent. increase, with a minimum wage scale of $10 a week for girls and $16 for men, with overtime, and especially holiday overtime, to be rewarded with increased rates.

The organizers of the strike say that under the present factory law no contractor can employ any one in a building where there are living rooms, but the workers cannot be prevented from taking work home if it is done there by no others than members of the family. The labor organizers say that this tenement house work means the carrying of the garments to and from houses often visited with infectious diseases to the menace of the community's health. In such cases the Board of Health is the only body with jurisdiction, but the labor leaders in the present strike believe that they themselves can put a stop to it, and that in stopping it they will have put an end to one of the fruitful fields of child labor.

For the foot power and gas pressing engines the workers demand the substitution of the compressed air process.

All the members of the Executive Committee of the United Garment Workers—the National organization—were in town yesterday, and at a meeting indorsed the action of the local body. National President Rickert will direct the strike, with supervision over the work of the committee of five.

These are the members of that committee: Benjamin Schweitzer, Organizer of the United Garment Workers, Chairman; Ephraim Kaufman, Business Agent of the Clothing Cutters' Union; Henry Waxman, Chairman of the District Council of the garment workers; Max Pine, General Organizer of the United Garment Workers, and H. V. Lavener, Secretary of the Garment Workers' Council.

On behalf of the Clothing Cutters' Union, which had taken a secret ballot on the question of joining in the strike, it was announced that the vote was overwhelmingly for a strike, and the cutters, 8,000 in number, would also strike to-day. Their principal headquarters will be in Beethoven Hall, 210 Fifth Street.

Halls have been engaged as headquarters in Manhattan, Brooklyn, and Brownsville for the Lithuanian tailors, the pressers on different kinds of garments, the lapel makers, custom tailors, merchant tailors, and a number of branches in the trade allied to the branches mentioned.

The central headquarters, where the strike leaders will meet, will be the Bible House.

It was arranged that at 5 o'clock this morning between 1,500 and 2,000 volunteer pickets should meet at the headquarters of the District Council, 155 Clinton Street, for instructions. They will receive 100 copies each of a special edition of their champion, The Jewish Daily Forward, and will distribute them in front of the larger factories to those who are not familiar with the plans of the strikers and to those who wish to go to work.

Frank Doyle, one of the trustees of the National organization and a member of the National Executive Committee, spoke at last evening's meeting and enjoined the volunteers to be on time in the morning.

"You must obey orders," he declared. "If you work as a solid body, unitedly, you will win. If you do not, you will lose. For years employers have used one craft against another, the cutters against the tailors, the knee pants makers against the coat makers, and the vest makers against the cutters. But now that all branches of the industry are united they cannot do that, and we can fight shoulder to shoulder.

"One thing more," he said, "you must be orderly. This is not a riot. It is a small social revolution. We are going to fight for better living conditions for our wives, our families, and ourselves. We will not accept starvation wages any more."

WOULD UNIONIZE SUBWAYS.

Engineers Urge City to Put Labor Clause in Contracts.

About 200 locomotive engineers met yesterday in the Amsterdam Opera House in West Forty-fourth Street to discuss plans for bringing pressure to bear on the city to have incorporated in the contracts for the new subways clauses for the eight-hour workday and the union rate of wages. The Public Service Commission came in for a good deal of criticism at the meeting, but J. Sergeant Cram made a speech defending the commission, saying that the "traction trust" apparently thought it was a law unto itself.

Warren S. Stone, Grand Chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, attended the meeting, and was to have been one of the speakers, but he had been suffering from grip for some days, and, becoming suddenly ill, left when the meeting was half through. Thomas Brisette, Chairman of the local Adjustment Committee of the New York Central engineers, presided.

Ex-Alderman E. P. Bent said that the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers had shown itself to be such a responsible body that it ought to have recognition in all contracts. He had heard that the Interborough was trying to discourage unionism. He said that labor should be represented in the Public Service Commission. He added he would be glad if Magistrate John F. Hylan, who held a card in the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, was appointed Public Service Commissioner.

J. Sergeant Cram said:

"The Subway was bought and paid for by the city, and the operating syndicate was then absorbed by the traction trust, which has not much interest in labor or the welfare of the people. There are difficulties in handling the immense traffic with comfort to the people, but the traction trust has made no sincere effort to meet them. It is proposed to make the public pay for everything. The traction trust, intoxicated by success, is going to take everything, and to recognize no prevailing rate of wages or eight-hour workday. It has no politics and ignores the rights of labor."

He wanted to know why in this country the city Government was not fit to build and operate subways or street railroads. Were we inferior to the people in England or other countries? he asked.

Several questions were put to Mr. Cram. One man asked if a protest sent to the Public Service Commission against the way the subways were run would have any effect. Mr. Cram said he could promise nothing, but he believed the protest should be sent.

Magistrate Hylan made a long speech denouncing the management of the Subway and praising the locomotive engineers. Speeches were also made by Paul Kennedy, Secretary of the American Association for Labor Legislation; Miss C. P. Fincher, Alexander Law, and others. Luther S. Bedford of Typographical Union No. 6 was one of the speakers and announced that he was a candidate for Public Service Commissioner to succeed William R. Willcox. He asked the meeting to indorse a pledge of his, in case of his appointment, to extend the Tri-borough system to the five boroughs with one fare, and to have school children carried free. The pledge was indorsed and the meeting adjourned, the engineers meeting later in executive session, during which plans for unionizing the Interborough employes were discussed.

Grand Chief Stone said last evening that he considered the management of the Subway bad in every way. Men were calling the names of stations who did not know English or the meaning of the names they were calling, he said.

DYNAMITERS' SENTENCE DAY.

Arguments Will Precede Announcement of Penalty.

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 29.—Judge Albert B. Anderson holds the centre of interest to-night in matters affecting the thirty-eight convicted labor dynamiters, who are in the Marion County jail. In this Federal jurist is vested the authority to send Frank M. Ryan and his fellow-conspirators to jail for thirty-nine years, or to suspend sentence altogether when they appear before him to-morrow. Consequently the effort all day has been to gauge the state of his mind. The fact that Judge Anderson was once so firm as to brave the wrath of President Roosevelt is not reassuring to those who would have mercy extended to the union leaders.

All the convicted men are to appear for sentence before Judge Anderson at 10 o'clock to-morrow morning. Motions for setting aside the verdicts and argument may delay sentence until Tuesday.

Prisoners who receive less than one-year terms will be confined in county jails, but those who receive longer terms must be taken to a Federal prison. The one at Leavenworth is used by this district. United States Marshal Edward Schmidt has arranged for a special train to leave by a secret route for that institution. To prevent possible demonstrations on the way no details as to the time of departure are to be announced, but it is known the train is to be ready to start as soon as possible after the court pronounces judgment.

Every effort will be made to regain liberty on bonds while an appeal is pending for some of the convicted men, including Frank M. Ryan, President of the Iron Workers' International Union; Olaf A. Tveitmoe and Hiram R. Kline, a former official of the Carpenters' Union. Unless the prisoners are able at once to furnish bonds required by the court they must remain in prison.

"We certainly will appeal in the case of each man," said Chester H. Frum of counsel for the defense to-day. "There are about ninety errors upon which we shall base the petition, and we are confident of an ultimate reversal."

"This trial never will be reversed, and the men will serve out the punishment imposed by the court," said District Attorney Miller in reply.

Confined to two tiers of cells, four prisoners to a cell, the men who the Government charged engaged in the most widespread conspiracy for the destruction of property in the history of the country, to-day remained within four blocks of the place in which it was charged the conspiracy originated. The jail entrance was besieged by hundreds of visitors. Women relatives of the prisoners clamored to be admitted. Only those who had permits were allowed inside, but the entrance was filled with baskets of food tagged with the names of certain prisoners. Until 1 o'clock, when the doors were closed to visitors, people streamed in and out of the little jail.

When all the visitors had been excluded the prisoners, occupying the tiers of cells especially reserved for the use of the Federal Government, looked down from the second floor into the recreation room, where the regular Sunday afternoon programme of religious music was played on a small organ beside which stood a wilted Christmas tree. All refused to talk about the verdict.

The only statement forthcoming from the Iron Workers' International headquarters to-day was issued by Secretary Joseph E. McClory of Cleveland. He and Ed. Lewis of San Francisco, an Executive Board member, are the only officials of the union out of jail. To the 12,000 members of the union Mr. McClory issued this statement:

"In spite of all the trouble we have faced during the last twenty months, our organization is stronger to-day than it ever was. We have in our ranks an abundance of capable leaders, and our affairs will continue to be managed with the best care and ability obtainable. The obligation of the organization to its members will be fully performed in every respect, and we feel confident that our members to a man will remain loyal to our union. The absence of some of our officers will not interfere with the management of our business."

District Attorney Miller said to-day he had taken no steps toward loaning to local authorities for prosecutions locally any evidence held by the Government, but undoubtedly the Government would yield such evidence. It was repeatedly stated by the District Attorney and by Judge Anderson before the jury that the present trial "never would have been necessary had the dynamite explosions in Cleveland and other cities in the last six years been stopped by vigorous prosecutions."

LONDON VIEW OF VERDICT.

Times Thinks the American People Will Insist on Reforms.

By Marconi Transatlantic Wireless Telegraph to The New York Times.

LONDON, Monday, Dec. 30.—The Times in an editorial this morning on the verdict at Indianapolis in the American dynamiters' trial says: "The trial and the outcome can hardly fail to damage in the eyes of the Nation the present organization of labor in the United States and the present labor leaders. Up to the date of McNamara's confessions Gompers and his fellow-officials denounced the proceedings against them as being the result of an infamous capitalist plot. That is a familiar trick in cases of a semi-political kind. It appears to have been repeated by some defenders of what is euphemistically called 'militant unionism' pending the present trial. A complete refutation of this insinuation is afforded by the evidence.

"Gompers declared that he and his friends had been fooled by McNamara, and they may repeat that they had been fooled by the officers of the Iron Workers' Association. They were invited to institute investigations into the working of their organization after the confessions, but they observed that they did not see the necessity for the step. They may not see it now, but the public, we imagine, will be disposed to call insistently for an inquiry, and to view with suspicion and resentment any attempt to prevent or impede it.

"We have more than once expressed our belief that reforms in the labor legislation of the United States were desirable and inevitable. That enables us with all the greater freedom to record our detestation of the crimes which certain labor leaders have committed and sanctioned and which others provoked and palliated, and to affirm our conviction that these are not the means which will induce the American people to modify their laws."

UPHELD TAFT'S RIGHT TO AID BANK HUNT

Wickersham Decided President Had Power if He Cared to Use it for Pujo Committee.

PRESIDENT OFFERS LITTLE

Orders Controller to Furnish Information on Hand, but Not to Make Special Inquiry.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—So many confusing statements have been made concerning the action of President Taft on the request of Samuel Untermyer, counsel for the House Committee investigating the so-called Money Trust, for confidential information concerning National banks desired by the committee that Attorney General Wickersham consented to-night to explain exactly the course adopted by Mr. Taft, and also to summarize his own opinion upon which the President's action was based.

On behalf of the committee, Mr. Untermyer asked President Taft to direct the Controller of the Currency to furnish, first, information respecting the banks already in the possession of the Controller, and, second, information which the committee desired but which was not in possession of the Controller, but which would have to be specially obtained by the Controller, through his agents, from the National banks.

President Taft referred Mr. Untermyer's request to Attorney General Wickersham with a request for an opinion as to his power to allow the Controller to furnish this information. About a month ago Mr. Wickersham advised President Taft that he did have power to direct the Controller to hand the committee the information on hand and also power to direct the Controller to ask for other information from the banks for the use of the committee, but that this was wholly discretionary with the President and the Controller.

Mr. Wickersham, in his opinion, however, told the President that he doubted whether, as a matter of strict propriety, it would be proper to direct the Controller to furnish all this information. He pointed out that if the committee itself had power under the law to obtain the information it would not be necessary to utilize the services of the Executive branches of the Government. He contended also that if a committee of Congress did not possess this power with respect to obtaining specific data from the National banks, it would be possible for Congress to pass legislation necessary to vest the committee with such power if the committee should ask for it.

Attorney General Wickersham said to-night that he was surprised to read published statements to the effect that he had in his opinion to the President, discussed either the right or the power of the Pujo Committee or of either branch of Congress to conduct such an investigation as that upon which the Pujo Committee had embarked.

Mr. Wickersham asserted that he did not deal at all with the powers of the committee or of Congress, but confined himself to answering the two questions submitted to him by President Taft.

The President sent a copy of the Attorney General's opinion to Samuel Untermyer, with a letter stating that he had instructed the Controller to furnish for the use of the committee such information as was on hand, and had directed the Controller not to obtain for the committee any other data which would have to be specially obtained from the National banks.

The published statements that the Attorney General adopted as his opinion the text of a brief on the subject prepared by Wrisley Browne, one of the special assistant attorneys for the Department of Justice, were not in accordance with the facts. A large part of Mr. Browne's brief was devoted to discussing the general powers of a committee of Congress and of either House of Congress to obtain information of a certain character. All this part of Mr. Browne's brief was not utilized by the Attorney General.

Ex-United States Senator Spooner last night gave out here, with the permission of Mr. Wickersham, a summary of the Attorney General's opinion on the power of President Taft to give the Pujo committee additional information concerning the banks. It shows that Mr. Wickersham ruled that the President had the power to direct the Controller to obtain the additional information. The opinion reads:

"If, therefore, you believe that any information, as outlined by Mr. Untermyer, should be procured in the performance of his (the Controller's) duties, then you may direct him to procure it; and after it is obtained for this legitimate purpose then you may direct him to furnish it to the House Committee.

"I express no opinion as to the propriety of furnishing to the House Committee any information obtained by the Controller. I have been informed that it has been the custom of this office to consider a great portion of such information as confidential. But as to the wisdom of applying this rule in this instance the Secretary of the Treasury and the Controller can best advise you."

Mrs. Burke-Roche Seeks Handbag.

The purple velvet handbag belonging to Mrs. Francis Burke Roche of 18 East Seventy-seventh Street, which mysteriously disappeared on Christmas Day while Mrs. Burke Roche was attending a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Hewitt, 127 East Twenty-first Street, has not yet been found. The handbag, which was valued at $50, was lost in the dressing room of the Hewitt home, where Mrs. Burke Roche had left it with her wraps. A $5 reward is offered for its return.

Held for Cleveland Police.

Samuel Weiser of 373 East Eighth Street, supposed to be wanted in Cleveland, Ohio, for homicide, was held by Magistrate H. M. Herbert in Essex Market Court yesterday morning until to-morrow, when it is expected the necessary papers will arrive for the removal of Weiser to Cleveland.

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VISIT SHEPARD'S MOTHER.

Miss Gould and Her Affianced Call at New Haven Hospital.

Special to The New York Times.

NEW HAVEN, Dec. 29.—Miss Helen Miller Gould and her affianced, Finley J. Shepard, came to this city on the Shore Line Express at 3 o'clock this afternoon, and took a cab from the Union Station to the New Haven General Hospital, where Mrs. Peter T. Shepard, the mother of Finley, has been a patient, blind and bed-ridden, for five years. Mrs. Shepard and Miss Gould met in the private room in which Mrs. Shepard has lived since she was taken to the hospital with a broken hip. The meeting of the two was warm and affectionate. It is believed that Mrs. Shepard will be taken to New York City after her son's wedding to make her home with him and his bride.

Miss Gould and Mr. Shepard took a late afternoon train to Clinton, Conn., where they attended services at the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Holy Advent in honor of the late Rev. Peter T. Shepard, for thirteen years rector of the church. The Rev. Peter T. Shepard died on Dec. 2 last, aged 87. Later Mr. Shepard and Miss Gould returned to this city, and will be the guests of friends until to-morrow.

TAFT HOME TO-MORROW.

Lands at Key West from Arkansas—Now En Route to Washington.

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 29.—President and Mrs. Taft, Col. and Mrs. Goethals, and a number of friends arrived off Key West at 10 o'clock this morning on the United States battleships Arkansas and Delaware after a quick trip from Colon and the Panama Canal Zone.

They were brought ashore by the Government tug Peoria, and started north at noon on a special train over the Florida East Coast and the Atlantic Coast Line Railroads. They are due in Washington Tuesday morning.

The voyage from Colon to Key West, more than 1,100 miles, was made in a little more than sixty hours over a sea troubled only by a heavy swell and roughened by brisk trade winds. A spectacular rescue of a coal passer on the Delaware, after he fell overboard at 7 o'clock this morning, was missed by practically every member of the party. To save the man the big battleship turned a complete circle, put off a boat, picked up the coal passer and resumed her course in less than fifteen minutes.

President Taft has announced that he will make no appointments to civil positions under the new Administration of the Canal Zone until he returns to Washington. It is practically assured, however, that Col. Goethals will be offered and will accept the Governorship of the zone. He will talk over features of the Administration with the President in the trip to Washington and later at the White House.

President and Mrs. Taft, Capt. Roy Smith of the Arkansas, and their friends were guests at dinner last night of the wardroom mess. President Taft made a short speech in which he praised the battleship, her officers and men. Toasts were drunk to the President and to "Our Wives and Sweethearts."

Just before landing to-day the quartermasters of the Arkansas presented Mr. Taft with a President's flag made on the ship and flown at the naval review in New York and on the trip to the Canal Zone.

Owing to the risk the President's party encountered in boarding the Arkansas at Colon for the home trip, the height of the breakwater guarding the harbor there may be raised. The party was taken to the Arkansas, anchored just inside the breakwater, in a big sea-going tug. At the time the wind was so strong that the passage to the battleship was pronounced dangerous. The entire party, including the women, were forced to run across a gangway from the tug to the Arkansas, while the boats were heaving four or five feet with every swell. Naval officers told the President that the present protection there was inadequate.

PALM BEACH, Fla., Dec. 29.—The special train in which President Taft and party are traveling from Key West to Washington stopped here a few hours to-night while the Presidential party dined at a local hotel.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—The expected brief stop at Havana of the battleship Arkansas, with President Taft on board, did not take place, though the vessel was directed by wireless yesterday to do so. It was learned to-day that the purpose of this visit was not to enable President Taft to go ashore at the Cuban capital. Instead of calling at Havana on her way to Key West the battleship went direct to Key West, landed the President and his party there this morning, and then proceeded to Havana, where she is supposed to be to-night.

It was said that there was no significance in the order to have her touch at Havana other than to enable President Taft to demonstrate by his presence in Havana Harbor the interest felt by the United States in the welfare of Cuba. Afterward, however, it was found that by proceeding to Key West direct and touching at Havana after, instead of before leaving there, the Arkansas avoided delaying the President and Mrs. Taft from reaching Washington in time to prepare for the New Year's Day reception at the White House.

BOOMING J. J. HILL FOR WILSON CABINET

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turned his attention to railroading, becoming local agent in St. Paul of the St. Paul & Pacific Railroad in 1873. After several years of service he formed the syndicate which bought the road from the Dutch holders of its defaulted bonds and began the work which ended with the completion of the Great Northern Railway, one of the greatest systems of the country. He has been cited repeatedly as an example of the self-made men of America.

Edmund D. Fisher, First Deputy Controller of the city, was one of the speakers at the Agricultural and Conservation Congress which met in Minneapolis, and Mr. Fisher was invited to Mr. Hill's luncheon at the Minneapolis Club. When interview yesterday at his home in Flatbush, Mr. Fisher admitted that he had heard of the movement to bring Mr. Hill's name before Gov. Wilson. He also spoke of the popularity of Mr. Hill among the farmers of the Northwest.

"There are certainly many things to be said in favor of Mr. Hill for Secretary of Agriculture," said Mr. Fisher, "but I am not a party to the movement. You see, I am a Republican. I am sure, however, that politics will play no part if Mr. Hill should be chosen. He would be chosen on his merits.

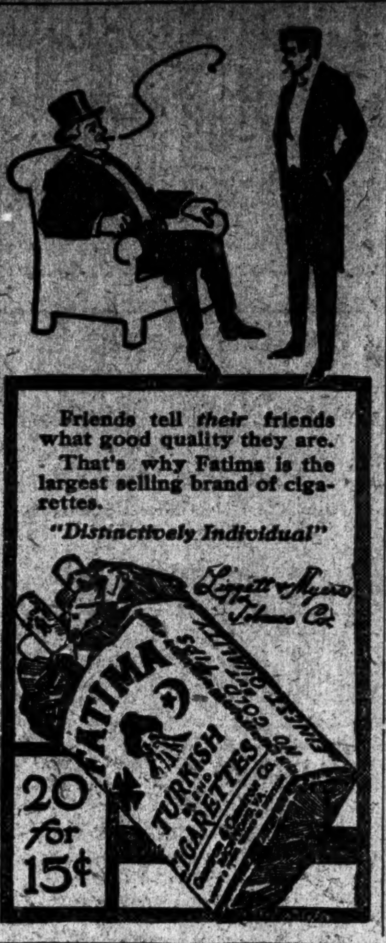
"The people of the Northwest are very enthusiastic over Mr. Hill. It is in the Northwest, of course, that he has instituted most of his agricultural improvements. He has a farm near St. Paul, for instance, where he has tried every agricultural experiment under the sun. He has plans to make farms more productive, and I am sure that if he were at the head of the Department of Agriculture he would work them out. Mr. Hill, among other things, wants to reduce the prices of meat by making small farms raise more cattle, and he knows how this can be done, I believe."

Mr. Fisher admitted that he knew the name of the emissary who had come to New York in the interest of Mr. Hill, but he refused to divulge it. The trip of this emissary extended to the Pacific as well as the Atlantic Coast.

Two other men who have been mentioned for Secretary of Agriculture are Dr. William Oxley Thompson, President of the Ohio State University and originator of extensive scientific agriculture in the Middle West, and Dr. H. J. Waters, President of the Kansas State College.

Tuberculosis Hospital for Suffolk.

RIVERHEAD, L. I., Dec. 29.—The Suffolk County Board of Supervisors, at a special session held here last week, voted to purchase as a site for the proposed county tuberculosis hospital a property consisting of forty-three acres seven miles north of Patchogue on the trolley road between Patchogue and Port Jefferson. The price is $4,000. The site is well protected on the north and west by a high hill, and commands a splendid panoramic view of the country to the south and the Atlantic Ocean.



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Not Surrounded in Protestant Churches with Safeguards of Catholics—Mortimer Refuses to Talk.

Special to The New York Times.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 29.—Churchmen who have learned the nature of the disclosures in the case of the Rev. Dr. Alfred G. Mortimer, who suddenly resigned as rector of St. Mark's Episcopal Church and left the city, predicted to-day that Bishop Rhinelander would probably depose the clergyman. They say that with the evidence produced by the dictograph before him he has no other alternative. He need not act immediately, and some believe the Bishop will wait until Dr. Mortimer has sailed for Europe.

An Episcopal clergyman can be deposed only for one of two reasons—heresy, which means renunciation of the doctrines of the Church, or immoral conduct. Dr. Mortimer would be the last man to be deposed for heresy. He has been one of the Church's foremost exponents of churchianity. The entire diocese has been quietly informed that his downfall was due to immorality.

The dictograph evidence furnished by certain members of Dr. Mortimer's clerical family, and afterward corroborated by a detective, involves more than one woman. Dr. Mortimer was imprudent, and his enemies appear to have had little trouble in bringing about his downfall. They went first to a prominent layman with their story.

"We don't expect to have you believe our story," they said in substance, "but come with us and see with your own eyes and hear with your own ears."

The skeptical layman went and was convinced. The next step was to bring the situation to the attention to two of the vestrymen of St. Mark's. They received the information coldly.

"Come and see for yourselves," said the self-appointed investigating committee, and the vestrymen went and were impressed by what they learned.

Whether the dictograph was used in the clergy house of St. Mark's Church, or elsewhere, could not be learned. Clerical opponents of the advanced high churchmen, however, are already quoting the Mortimer affair as an argument against the use of the confessional in the high Episcopal churches. They insist that, since the confessional is not surrounded in the Protestant Church by the same laws or conditions which safeguard it in Catholic churches, it is a menace to the morality of the clergy.

Standing in the chancel of St. Mark's Church at this morning's service, Bishop Rhinelander announced that the Rev. H. C. Hugheson of the Order of the Holy Cross had been requested to assume temporary charge of St. Mark's Parish.

"There is good reason to believe that Father Hugheson will accept and will be here within a few days," said the Bishop.

The church was crowded. Many women of fashion, not regular attendants, were present. They voiced their objection when the verger wished to place them in back seats. Some were so eager to obtain front seats that the verger—a stony-hearted person—blocked their progress up the aisles with an outstretched arm, while an extended forefinger indicated the pew they must occupy. Later, when it became evident that Bishop Rhinelander would not make the address, several of the women left the church.

Following the service, Bishop Rhinelander held a conference with the Vestry of St. Mark's Church in the clergy house. It lasted two hours. The meeting is supposed to have been held to consider the advisability of issuing a statement. A stranger, who is believed to have been a lawyer representing Dr. Mortimer's interests, attended the conference. Bishop Rhinelander appeared somewhat agitated following the meeting with the Vestry. Asked if he would make a statement on the Mortimer case, he replied:

"I don't know. I have nothing to say at present."

Bishop Rhinelander went to New York last Thursday to visit his father-in-law, William Frazier Hamilton, who is seriously ill at his Gramercy Park residence. While in New York the Bishop is said to have been visited by Dr. Mortimer, who came over from Jersey City, where he is staying with his brother, the Rev. Dr. Frederick Mortimer, rector of St. Mark's Church, Jersey City.

The Rev. Dr. Frederick Mortimer is making a valiant attempt to shield his brother.

"Either my brother or Bishop Rhinelander," said Dr. Mortimer to-day, "will soon issue a statement which will set at rest all the unwarranted rumors that have been circulating regarding my brother's withdrawal from St. Mark's. The rumors have not only been malicious, but have been the result of a cruel conspiracy to cast aspersion upon my brother's name. Ill-health was the main cause of his retirement. Everything will soon be clearly explained, and then my brother will sail for his old home in England."

The Rev. Alfred Barnett Mortimer, the Philadelphia clergyman, who is at the home of his brother, the Rev. Fred E. Mortimer, 449 Jersey Avenue, Jersey City, was asked last night to discuss the current report that his resignation had been asked for on the ground of immorality.

"I have absolutely nothing to say," he replied. When asked the date for his departure for Europe, he said: "I will not discuss the subject in any manner, shape, or form."

$40,000,000 SURPLUS FROM OUR PROSPERITY

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will probably be augmented before the close of the fiscal year on June 30 until it reaches $40,000,000.

The Treasury accounts show a steady growth in revenue notwithstanding tariff agitation, and this is attributed to the country's prosperity, to a growing population, whose demands are greater, and to larger purchases of luxuries, along with the moral effect of Secretary MacVeagh's crusade against smuggling and undervaluation, which has resulted in the collection by the Government of more of the revenue to which it is entitled under the law.

Treasury Gains Under Taft.

At the close of the fiscal year 1909, three months after President Taft entered the White House, there was a deficit of $58,734,954 in the ordinary account in the Treasury, inherited from the Roosevelt Administration. At the end of the fiscal year 1910, the first year for which the Taft Administration was responsible, there was a surplus of $15,806,323, which, with the wiping out of the deficit of $58,000,000, was equivalent to a gain of about $73,000,000 in a single year. In 1911 the surplus in the ordinary account was $47,000,000. In 1912 this surplus was $37,000,000.

The balance in the general fund at the end of the fiscal year 1909, immediately after President Taft entered the White House, was $126,375,428. This balance went up to $167,152,478 at the end of 1912, and at the close of business yesterday it amounted to $141,197,163.

Before the end of the current fiscal year the disbursements on account of the construction of the Panama Canal will be $42,000,000 for the year, all of which is being drawn from the general fund of the Treasury without the sale of any Panama Canal bonds this year, and Secretary MacVeagh does not intend to offer any more of these bonds for sale during the balance of the Taft Administration. Up to date the Government has spent on the canal $138,600,869 from the proceeds of the sale of bonds, including premiums, in addition to $158,217,422 spent on the canal out of the Treasury, which may be reimbursed from the proceeds of bonds not yet sold. Under the law the Treasury may yet issue Panama Canal bonds for $240,569,000.

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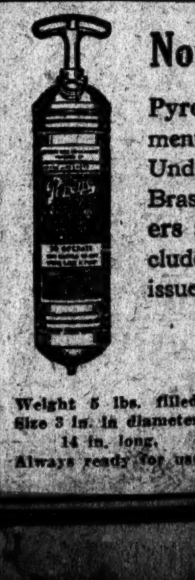

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TURKS WILL REFUSE TO CEDE ADRIANOPLE

Other Peace Proposals Likely to be Modified, but on That Point They Are Firm.

AUSTRIA MAKES NEW TROUBLE

Insists on an Enlarged Albania, and the Allies Again Talk Defiantly of Intervention.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 29.—Following an all-day conference of the Council of Ministers discussing the reports from the peace envoys at London, a semi-official note was issued stating that fresh instructions had been sent to London to the affect that "while the Porte is animated by a conciliatory spirit and is desirous of a successful conclusion of the negotiations, it can under no circumstances consent to the cession of Adrianople."

It is understood that the Ministers have decided to instruct the Turkish delegates to propose reference of the questions which have given rise to dissension to the Ambassadorial conference.

In official circles the belief is held that an agreement can be reached on all points except Adrianople.

LONDON, Dec. 29.—Notwithstanding the serious difficulties confronting the peace conference, the prospects seem brighter for an early settlement.

It is stated on good authority that the Turkish delegates will present to-morrow modified terms better calculated to afford a basis for negotiation. Moreover the allies appear more anxious to come to real business. They have occupied the week end in exchanging long cipher telegrams with their Governments, in order to be informed on all points and reach complete agreement. They seem to fear that they will be deprived of the fruits of their victories by European intervention.

Said one of the delegates to-night:

"It is difficult to say whether our struggle will be harder against Mussulman oppression or against European intervention, which has several times prevented us from shaking off the Ottoman yoke. Although our armies have victoriously reached Tchatalja, Europe might wish to return Adrianople to the Moslems, forgetting or ignoring what that would mean for the Christian population. But we know the value of the so-called European guarantees for Turkish reforms, and this time we will not give in.

"If official Europe likes horrors, it shall have them. We will fight to the bitter end. An eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth!"

The Balkan delegates fear that Austria's attitude is encouraging the Turks to resist. Reports from Vienna say that Austria will insist on the enlargement of the frontiers of autonomous Albania to such an extent that it will absorb the territories claimed by Greece, Servia, and Montenegro, and, as Montenegro treats the proposition of the exchange of Scutari for Mount Lowehen as "a blackmailing proposition," the difficulties raised by Austria's attitude have increased rather than diminished.

According to the Vienna Nieue Freie Presse, the Dreibund and the Triple Entente are at odds in regard to Albania. The former favors a large and powerful Albania, while the Entente urges a restricted Albania.

Rechad Pasha, the head of the Turkish delegation, is in constant touch with Constantinople regarding the statements to be made at the meeting of the conference to-morrow. It is reported that he is personally opposed to extreme proposals, but has been forced to accept instructions from the Porte, which were dictated partly by fear of the Young Turks and the military party and partly by hope of favorable European intervention. The Turks hold the view that they have nothing more to lose, and may obtain better terms after the resumption of hostilities. Rechad Pasha himself still is sanguine of a successful issue of the conference.

The allies are determined to keep what they have bought at the price of bloodshed. Their armies are rested and strengthened; their troops are said to be in perfect condition, as all infectious diseases are now under control.

DISLIKE AUSTRIA'S ATTITUDE.

Italian Leaders Think Their Ally Is Endangering Peace.

ROME, Dec. 29.—The attitude of Austria is being freely discussed in political circles, and the opinion is gaining that the situation cannot continue without endangering the peace of Europe.

Leonida Bissolati-Bergamaschi, the Socialist member of the Chamber of Deputies, who opposed the annexation of Tripolitana and Cyrenaica to Italy, writing to the Messagero, says that a rupture of the negotiations, if it takes place, will multiply the probabilities of a European war, since it is Austria upon whom all depends and it is to Austria that a request for an explanation should be addressed. He urged that it was Italy's duty, as the ally of Austria, to ask for that explanation.

WORKING TO SAVE KAISER'S OIL BILL

Official Newspaper Rushes to the Defense of the Government Monopoly Proposal.

PLENTY OF OIL PROMISED

Reports That a Group of Banks Will Be Favored in Financing Scheme Are Vigorously Denied.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

BERLIN, Dec. 29.—The German Government is making a last desperate effort to save the oil monopoly project which is still buried in the Reichstag committee.

As the main objections to the scheme are fears that the Government would be unable to obtain sufficient oil for German consumption, if the Standard Oil was eliminated, the official newspaper, the North German Gazette, publishes to-day a categorical statement to the effect that "independent American oil companies have already made the Government offers, which would fully supply the German requirements, quite apart from the supplies obtainable in Russia, Austria, and Rumania."

These same "outsiders," as the official newspaper describes them, will refuse to sell oil in Germany as long as the Standard Oil Company is permitted to retain its present monopolistic position.

The Gazette also tries to refute the argument that the Government Oil bill seeks to destroy the Standard's monopoly only to create a new monopoly for a group of favored banks.

Certain banks, it asserts, would be intrusted with the organization of a semi-official sales company, only because they are the institutions customarily employed in large financial enterprises. It is not intended, so the statement continues, to confer on them exclusive privileges of any kind.

Discussion in committee of the oil monopoly bill will begin Jan. 14.

ZIONISTS ASK POWERS' AID.

Time Auspicious to Bring Jews Back to Palestine, Says Dr. Nordau.

By Marconi Transatlantic Wireless Telegraph to The New York Times.

LONDON, Monday, Dec. 30.—Dr. Max Nordau, President of the Tenth Zionist Congress, in a two-column letter to The Times, points out the opportunity presented by the impending partition of the Turkish Empire for the earnest consideration by European diplomacy of the Zionist scheme for the resettlement of the Jews in Palestine. He says that in the Turkish Renaissance after the war 400,000 Jewish subjects of the empire will loyally bear their full share. Then he goes on:

"It is in Palestine in which the Jews, not alone those who are now subjects of the Turkish Empire, but Jews all over the world, are desirous of exerting their very best and most devoted energies. Surely this passionate longing, sanctified as it is by upward of twenty centuries of unswerving love, ought not now to be discarded, when it can be utilized so fruitfully to the development of Turkish resources, to the fortifying of the Turkish Empire and in the consequent service of peace.

"At present there are some 100,000 Jews in Palestine, forming about a seventh of the whole population. If facilities were offered to our influx, we should soon have very many more. There is room enough for us in the sparsely inhabited land.

"We have no intention of dispossessing or crowding out any one. We are ready to buy honestly every inch of soil we can possibly obtain and offer for it a higher price than any other purchaser.

"To none has the neglected land the ideal and sentimental value it has to us. We seek to become throughout the Turkish dominions an Ottoman national city, equal before the law to other nationalities of the empire."

Dr. Nordau urges that, as some 160,000 Jews in the Balkan Peninsula are affected by any settlement of Near Eastern affairs, the Jewish question ought to be included among those being discussed by the Ambassadors at London.

"What we seek now from European diplomacy," he says, "is not the exercise in our favor of any imperative or unfriendly pressure on Turkey. All we desire is to be afforded an opportunity of offering European diplomacy exact information as to our aspirations and to solicit its friendly interest in their behalf."

STEAMER LOST, TWO SAVED.

Survivors of the Volmer Tell of 15 Comrades Perishing in Channel.

By Marconi Transatlantic Wireless Telegraph to The New York Times.

LONDON, Dec. 29.—The record of the havoc wrought by the Christmas gale grows blacker daily. Crews of battered ships, which are crawling back to port, tell of terrible experiences.

The Captain and one seaman of the 2,200-ton Danish steamer Volmer, who were picked up in a small open boat, fifteen miles southwest of the Lizard, after the loss of their vessel, tell a harrowing tale.

They are the sole survivors of a crew of seventeen men, and spent three days and nights adrift in their little craft. The Captain, when he found the Volmer was doomed, ordered out one of the lifeboats. This was quickly swamped and its eight occupants were drowned. The donkeyman became demented and jumped overboard, shouting. "I can't stand it any longer!"

The Captain ordered the second lifeboat to be launched. Seven men boarded her, leaving the Captain on the ship. The boat quickly capsized, whereupon the Captain sprang overboard and helped to right the craft, when all scrambled into her. The steamer foundered soon afterward.

Then began an awful ordeal. The first engineer died and his body was cast overboard. Then the chief officer lost his reason and tried to strangle the Captain and throw him overboard. They lashed the demented man down, but he died during the night as the result of exposure. The others died on Friday, and, finally, only the Captain and one sailor remained. They threw the bodies of their comrades overboard.

There was a little food in one of the lockers, but most of it was washed away. Their worst trial was thirst. When the rain fell they put out their hands to catch it and moistened their parched lips. During most of the time they were almost shoulder high in the water.

Several steamers passed, but the two men lacked the strength to hail them. By Saturday they had abandoned hope, but presently they saw a steam trawler making for them, and they were rescued by means of ropes.

PREDICTS BIG BUSINESS HERE

The London Statist, However, Hits Again at Treasury Methods.

By Marconi Transatlantic Wireless Telegraph to The New York Times.

LONDON, Dec. 29.—Discussing the business prospects and the money outlook in the new year, The Statist refers to the financial stringency in Austria-Hungary and the uncertainty of the situation of the dual monarchy. It continues:

"Never has the state of our own country been more satisfactory. Credit is thoroughly sound. The public are prepared to enter upon every promising kind of new enterprise. The wealth of the country has been so augmented that the resources for vast new undertakings are ample.

"Looking next across the Atlantic, we see there all the signs, indicating that the American people are prepared for an outburst of new enterprise, which is likely to prove all the greater and more impetuous because of the length of time whereby it has been delayed.

"The accumulation of gold is enormous, and the augmentation in the general wealth is immense.

"Just for the moment there is stringency there also, but that is due mainly to the vicious Treasury system of the United States. The Government has locked up its unused moneys in the Treasury and thereby starves the trade of the country.

"The tightness in New York could be ended immediately if the Secretary of the Treasury would let out from £10,000,000 ($50,000,000) to £15,000,000 ($75,000,000) of these unused funds."

Rates on Russian Imports Remain.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 29.—The Minister of Commerce has issued the official announcement that Russian imports into America will continue under minimum tariff rates after the expiration, on Jan. 1, of the treaty of trade and commerce, which the United States Congress abrogated because of Russia's attitude on the passport question.

WOULD GIVE WILSON A SUMMER HOME

Staunton Starts Movement to Buy the Selma Estate on Betsy Bell Hill for Him.

ALSO A BIRTHDAY MEMORIAL

Plan to Erect in Concrete a Duplicate of the Arch of Welcome He Passed Through.

Special to The New York Times.

STAUNTON, Va., Dec. 29.—Elated by President-elect Wilson's clear call to the progressives of Virginia to create an atmosphere in their home country in which their reactionary elder statesmen cannot comfortably exist, the people of Staunton decided to-day to commemorate in a stone memorial Gov. Wilson's birthday celebration.

The plan proposed, with seemingly unanimous approval, is to build in concrete, as an entrance to Gypsy Hill Park, a duplicate of the arch of welcome through which President-elect Wilson passed on Friday night on his way to the Presbyterian parish house in which he was born. A popular appeal to raise funds for the memorial wound a liberal response.

Another plan under way as a sequel to Mr. Wilson's visit is to buy and present to him the historic Selma mansion, with its large surrounding estate, under the shadows of Betsy Bell Hill, as the Summer home of the President-elect in his occupancy of the White House, and to which his fellow-Virginians hope he will retire at the "end of his second term." The plan has progressed so far that it is now known only his consent is needed to put it into effect. Staunton residents point out that Mr. Wilson will be able to reach Staunton in an afternoon's motor trip from Washington or in four hours on a through train.

Most of Staunton's population assembled at the depot at 11:30 o'clock this morning to bid their most celebrated son an affectionate farewell after his stay among them. They were delighted to see him leave, smiling and happy, and seemingly in splendid health, whereas he arrived practically an invalid and as "yellow as a pumpkin," as one Stauntonite expressed it, from his illness of the previous three days. All Staunton is gasping at the body blow Mr. Wilson dealt last night, "with a banquet table smile," to the machine leaders, Senators Swanson and Martin, and their representative at the banquet, Congressman Hall D. Flood.

Friends of Representatives W. A. Jones and Carter Glass, and Representative-elect H. J. Montague, under whom the Progressive sentiment of the State is being organized, insist that the President-elect talked to them directly over the heads of the machine leaders, and looked to them to help him "master" those leaders until they learned to work for the people instead of for Thomas Fortune Ryan, who is credited with largely financing the State Democratic organization.

Representative Flood's reputation for being keen at repartee and as a hard verbal fighter seems to be suffering a relapse. His reply to the remarks of President-elect Wilson at Saturday night's banquet, it is commented, showed none of the fighting spirit which made him the most conspicuous antagonist of W. J. Bryan at the Baltimore Convention.

Gov. Wilson Reviewing the Parade at Staunton.

LEFT TO RIGHT—PRESIDENT-ELECT WILSON MRS. WILSON, MRS. MANN and GOVERNOR MANN

MRS. WILSON

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JERRY SULLIVAN FOR CABINET.

Gov. Wilson Admits Iowa Leader Is on His Eligible List.

Special to The New York Times.

PRINCETON, N. J., Dec. 29.—On his way back to Princeton from Staunton today, President-elect Wilson held his first conference with a man known definitely to be an aspirant for the Cabinet, and whose name has been seriously considered. This was Jerry Sullivan, an Iowa Democratic leader, who is a conspicuous friend of William J. Bryan. Mr. Sullivan got aboard Gov. Wilson's train at Washington, and continued in conference with him until Princeton Junction was reached. Mr. Sullivan was recommended to Gov. Wilson for the Cabinet some time ago, probably by Mr. Bryan. The President-elect recalled to-night that Mr. Sullivan's name was on his list of eligibles, but did not recall just who suggested it. He said he talked over a number of things with Mr. Sullivan, but did not take up his possible appointment to the Cabinet.

Gov. Wilson was asked if he had any particular individual in mind in saying at Staunton that some politicans would have to be "mastered."

"I just took it for granted," he said, "that there are some of that kind in Washington."

The President-elect retired immediately after reaching his home at 9:30 o'clock to-night.

McCOMBS STOPS AT CAPITAL.

Asks for Wilson That Inaugural Ceremonies Be as Simple as Possible.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—William S. McCombs, Chairman of the Democratic National Committee, who accompanied Gov. Wilson to Staunton, Va., left the Governor's train when it reached Washington this afternoon and went to the Willard Hotel, where he saw several prominent Democrats. Mr. McCombs said to-night that he was not in a position to say anything about Cabinet appointments. He laughed over a story that he had accompanied Gov. Wilson to Staunton for the express purpose of persuading the President-elect not to put him in the next Cabinet.

"I went to Staunton on the invitation of the people of that place; that is all there is to it," said he.

Requests from newspaper men for information as to reports that he was to be appointed Secretary of War, Secretary of the Navy, or to some other Cabinet place brought from Mr. McCombs only the response that these references to him were very complimentary.

Mr. McCombs will leave Washington for New York to-morrow morning to remain there for a day or two. He will then go to Arkansas to look over two plantations that he owns on which he raises hay and breeds mules and Herford cattle.

Soon after reaching Washington Mr. McCombs telephoned to Senator Gore of Oklahoma and arranged for a conference this evening. While the conference was in progress, Representative Burleson of Texas, who is regarded as a Cabinet probability, came in and had a talk with Mr. McCombs. Secretary Vick of the Democratic National Committee, who is also secretary of the local Inaugural Committee, had a long conversation with his chief.

Mr. McCombs also saw William Corcoran Eustis, Chairman of the Inaugural Committee. He said it was Gov. Wilson's wish that the inaugural ceremonies should be marked by as much simplicity as might be deemed consistent.

MANY FOOD TAX BOLTERS.

Unionist Papers Abandon It as a Party Issue.

By Marconi Transatlantic Wireless Telegraph to The New York Times.

LONDON, Dec. 29.—Government newspapers are excited over what they describe as "the Tory stampede from food taxes." The latest convert to the ranks of the Opposition newspapers, which have come to the conclusion that the next general election cannot be won on the tariff reform issue as outlined by the Unionist leaders, is The Daily Telegraph.

There are now over a dozen leading Unionist organs, including The London Times, The Daily Mail, The Saturday Review, and The Spectator, advocating which is dubbed by the Liberals the "blank-check policy" or arguing that food taxes are now highly improbable, since Bonar Law has shifted the responsibility for them to the overseas dominions.

The "blank-check policy" means leaving out the question of imperial preference and tariff reform as an issue at the next general election, with the idea of securing the subsequent ratification by the country of the Unionist scheme.

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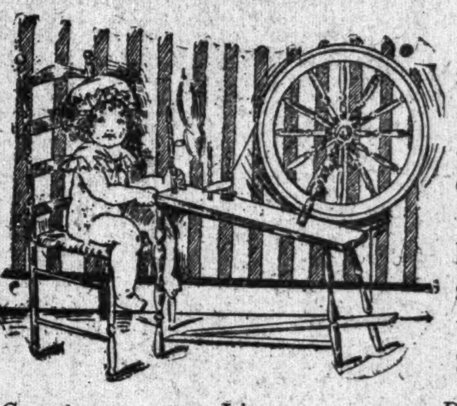

Hundreds of special values in addition to those announced in Sunday's papers.

You never know how much you can save at Macy's until you come to the Store and see.

Corsets, Undermuslins, Waists, Blouses, Petticoats, Embroideries, Linens, Infants' Wear, Kimonos, Sheets, Pillow Cases, Silk Underwear, Dress Fabrics, White Silks, Men's Shirts, Men's Pajamas, Men's Night Shirts, Stockings, etc., etc., etc.

New York's Greatest SALE OF FURS Also Begins Today

$180,000 Worth of Superb Fur Coats, Sets and Pieces to Be Sold for $90,000.00—just Half Price.

These Furs are the stocks of three houses which closed out to us their stocks for cash at great loss, preferring one cash transaction with Macy's rather than to continue a season somewha unsuccessful because of weather conditions.

In addition to the great White Sale and Fur Sale, Winter goods are marked down in most departments throughout the Store.

R. H. Macy & Co.

HERALD SQUARE BROADWAY 34th STREET to 35th STREET NEW YORK

J. M. Gidding & Co.

CONTINUE WITH RENEWED INTEREST, TODAY, THEIR ANNUAL

Clearance Sales

At Reductions of Half, One-third and in many instances More than Half former prices

Fur Coats and Fur Sets
Evening Gowns and Wraps
Dresses and Blouses
Millinery
Tailor-made Suits and Coats

CHARGE PURCHASES WILL BE BILLED FEBRUARY 1ST.

No Sale Goods sent on approval, reserved or exchanged.

Fifth Avenue, 46th and 47th Streets

INVESTMENTS FOR THE YEAR-END

AT the end of December many people have money to invest. How have you planned to invest yours?

Do not forget Guaranteed First Mortgage Certificates. They are as safe as mortgages and as convenient as bonds. They pay interest at 4½%.

You can invest any sum from $10 a month to $1,000,000 or more.

TITLE GUARANTEE AND TRUST Co

Capital . . . $ 5,000,000
Surplus (all earned) 11,000,000
176 B'way, N. Y. 175 Remsen St., B'klyn.
350 Fulton St., Jamaica.

TEN NEW AUTOS HERE FOR THE PARCEL POST

With These, Postmaster Morgan Has Twenty-five More Mail Wagons, and More on Call.

11 POUNDS IN CITY 15 CENTS

Anywhere Within 50 Miles 35 Cents —Must Be Mailed at General Post Office or Branches—Service Jan. 1.

Postmaster Edward M. Morgan and his assistants have been rushed in preparations for setting in motion here the new parcel post system which on Jan. 1 will be in operation throughout the United States. Thousands of merchants and others have already signified their intention of patronizing this new service of the Post Office which is to receive and deliver packages weighing not more than eleven pounds at greatly reduced rates compared to old express schedules.

Mr. Morgan has ten new automobile mail delivery wagons and twenty-five new mail wagons for the delivery of the parcel post, and if the business warrants it he is prepared to put into service at short notice an additional number of automobile mail wagons, and as many more mail wagons as are needed. Until the system goes into effect he has no way of ascertaining the volume of business his office will be called upon to do. If the department stores and the big merchants of the city adopt the system to any great extent in making deliveries to their customers, he realizes the demands upon the local office will be heavy.

Several hundred druggists in the city, who have sub-stations in their stores, have been notified by the postal authorities that they are not to handle parcel post articles. They will continue to handle first, second, and third class mail, but fourth-class matter will have to be taken to the branch Post Office stations or to the General Post Office. The majority of the druggists are pleased with the arrangement, as they were afraid the parcel post would swamp their stores.

Postmaster Morgan said yesterday that at the expiration of fifteen days after the inauguration of the system he would make a report to the Postmaster General at Washington, including such recommendations for the system here as conditions warrant. By that time he believes he will be able to ascertain just what is needed for the successful conduct of the business.

Merchants who were seen yesterday said that the parcel post would prove a great service to them in their business. Carl A. Koelsch, President of the Washington Market Merchants' Association, said that all the market men proposed to give the parcel post a try out. "We have been paying," said he, "exorbitant rates to the express companies for having our goods delivered. We are charged 25 cents for small packages, and there is often a delay in delivery. I believe the parcel post will have the effect of forcing the express companies to make substantial reductions in their rates. I have seen this system successfully worked out in Germany, France, and Switzerland, and if it is successful here no doubt the postal authorities will in time carry packages of greater size and weight than they now contract to carry."

Louis Gimbel of Gimbel Brothers said last night that his firm had a successful parcel delivery which it had perfected after many years. He said that for the present his firm would be satisfied with its own delivery service.

Joseph B. Greenhut, President of Greenhut Siegel Cooper Company, said that an opinion of the efficiency of the parcel post could be better expressed after its machinery got in smooth working order. His store also has a well-regulated delivery service.

EXPRESS HEADS UNDISMAYED.

Don't Agree with Hitchcock That Companies Will Be Driven Out.

Officials of the express companies who could be reached yesterday did not agree with Postmaster General Hitchcock's conclusions to the effect that the new parcel post would ultimately drive the express companies out of business. Nor did they agree with him that rates would have to be reduced to meet the competition of the Government. None had anything to say in support of Mr. Hitchcock's suggestion that the companies would have to sell out to the Government when the parcel post became extended and the present rates made lower.

"Mr. Hitchcock's conclusions are fallacious for two reasons," said William V. S. Thorne, a Director of the Wells Fargo Express Company. "In the first place he says the Government will do the work cheaper than the express companies, because it will not have to pay taxes and dividends like the express companies.

"If the Government does not get taxes from the express companies, it will have to tax corporations and individuals. If the Government, in the conduct of the parcel post, is able to do the business cheaper because it has no dividends to pay, it still must sell bonds when it needs money.

Frank H. Platt of the United States Express Company pointed out that that part of the business to be handled by the parcel post covering deliveries within cities had never been handled by the regular express companies, so to that extent there would be no competition.

"It is certain," said he, "that the Government cannot carry on the express business as cheaply and economically as the express companies. This can be seen in the Post Office. I would say that the cost to the Government would be about one-third to two-thirds more than to the express companies. There is bound to be a large deficiency. It may be a deficiency of $50,000,000; no one knows what it will be, but in the end it means taxing the public for the benefit of the department stores and some other special interests.

James C. Fargo, President of the American Express Company, contended that the country and the commercial interests were large enough for both the parcel post and the express companies operated privately.

Francis T. Flagg, a Director in the American Express Company, believed the express companies had become so valuable to the commercial interests of the country that the partial competition by the Government would not seriously injure them.

THIRTY SPIES ARRESTED.

News Exchange Reports Discovery of Great Conspiracy in Germany.

LONDON, Dec. 30.—A Berlin dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company reports the discovery of the greatest espionage conspiracy known for years. Thirty men and women, including Germans and Russians have been arrested, charged with spying in behalf of Russia. The German authorities decline to give out any particulars.

APPLE PRICES GO TO SMASH TO-DAY

Housewives, Victorious in Egg Market, Opening an Apple Stand with a Big Cut.

BALDWINS 5 CENTS A QUART

Retailers Holding Up the Public, Mrs. Heath Says, Making 200 to 300 Per Cent. Profit.

The Housewives' Association, headed by Mrs. Julian Heath, will begin action to-day to hammer down the price of apples. "Baldwin apples at 5 cents a quart" is to be the slogan, and a stand in the Queensboro Bridge Market, at First Avenue and Fifty-ninth Street, the battlefield. The association has a carload of apples to start off with, but according to Mrs. Heath hundreds of barrels more can be obtained without trouble. "Why, the market is fairly glutted," she said yesterday.

A thorough investigation of the apple market by agents of the association was responsible for the latest effort to reduce the high cost of living. According to Mrs. Heath, this investigation showed that the price for these apples among the retail dealers was from 12 to 15 cents a quart.

"It required very little mathematical ability," said Mrs. Heath, "to show that the public was being held up. Just take a pencil and paper, and you will see. These apples sell at from $1.50 to $2.25 a barrel, wholesale. There are some seventy-five quarts in a barrel. Sell those seventy-five quarts at 5 cents a quart and you get $3.75 for your trouble. Even then the profit is 100 per cent. or more."

"And so we have decided that everybody is going to have all the apples he wants at a reasonable price. We are going to sell until the dealers come down to a reasonable figure, just as they did with eggs. Mind you, we don't want to take the business away from the dealers, and are ready to quit whenever they call a truce. Eggs and butter have tumbled and now for the apples. After that we'll see what is next in line."

If any one believes that the Housewives' Association hasn't come to occupy a most influential position in the world of commerce, Mrs. Heath advises him to investigate and see.

"Already I have received a dozen letters from wholesale dealers in apples saying that they are going to ship more apples on to New York because we are going into the business," she said. "They promise us all we want, saying that they couldn't dispose of them before because the high prices caused the market to become glutted with the fruit. Now they expect a much bigger trade, not only while we continue to sell but after that, because we will have forced the price down to a point where the public will buy. After the prices go down we will have lookouts on the watch to see that the prices are not boosted again. That would be a signal for us to go into the business with renewed vigor."

Another proof of the influence wielded by the association, said Mrs. Heath, was the reference to it in all the trade papers dealing with eggs, butter, apples, and other foods.

One case which had come to her attention was related by Mrs. Heath with considerable amusement. "When we began to lower the price of eggs," said she, "we went to one big firm, and they said it was imposible to knock off 2 cents a dozen on what are termed third-grade eggs. But yesterday I noticed that the price of those same eggs had been knocked down 4 cents a dozen by the same firm.

The apple sale will start this morning at 11 o'clock, and will continue until 5 o'clock in the afternoon. It will be carried on daily unless prices take a sudden drop with the retailers. Eight of the members of the association will aid Mrs. Heath to-day.

WEDEMEYER IS NOW RAVING.

Michigan Representative Under Close Watch at Panama to Prevent Suicide.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PANAMA, Dec. 29.—Representative Wedemeyer of Michigan, who collapsed on the voyage from New York with a Congressional party and was taken to a sanitarium where he talked continually about how Taft defeated him for re-election, is now in a more serious condition.

He has been transferred to an iron-barred room at Ancon, where he raves violently about President Taft and his own defeat.

Mr. Wedemeyer has developed a suicidal mania, and is under close watch.

Despite his condition at the present moment, the doctors say that he may yet recover.

YEN HUI-CHING TO BERLIN.

Former Associate of Wu Ting-Fang to be Minister to Germany.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

BERLIN, Dec. 29.—Yen Hui-Ching, Under Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs at Peking, has been appointed Minister to Berlin in succession to Liang Cheng, who has just returned to China.

The first representative of the Chinese Republic to the Kaiser's Court is a graduate of an American university and received his chief diplomatic training at Washington under Wu Ting-Fang.

Telegrams from Peking announcing Hui-Ching's appointment describe the Chinese-German relations as "most excellent."

FRENCH CANDIDATES MEET.

Poincare and Ribot Confer—Both Will Continue in Presidential Race.

PARIS, Dec. 29.—Great interest attached to the meeting to-day between Premier Poincaré and ex-Premier Ribot, both candidates for the Presidency of the Republic.

They were closeted together for an hour at M. Ribot's house, but nothing concerning the conference was made public except the statement that the general situation, both at home and abroad, was discussed.

M. Ribot, however, consented to say that his intentions with regard to his candidacy were unchanged as a result of the interview, and from this it is inferred that both Premier Poincaré and M. Ribot will continue as candidates for the Presidential office.

Alexander's Shoe Sale

—A yearly event of interest to shoe buyers, carefully planned to dispose of our surplus stock of Fall and Winter Shoes at prices that insure quick distribution. The late arrival of Winter makes this year's Sale especially timely and enables us to offer unusually complete lines. A large force of trained salespeople will assure proper fitting without delays, but shopping early in the day is recommended. Our regular guarantee of satisfactory service with each purchase.

20% TO 40% REDUCTION

MEN'S SHOES, formerly $5 to $8. $3.75 TO $5.25
WOMEN'S BOOTS, formerly $3.50 to $8. $2.75 TO $4.75
CHILDREN'S SHOES, formerly $2.50 to $5. $1.95 TO $3.45

Andrew Alexander
Sixth Avenue at Nineteenth Street

Only ONE Suit to a Customer at Our

DEMONSTRATION

of our *Higher Priced* Clothes

This Is Strictly a DEMONSTRATION for Advertising Purposes Alone—Not a Sale

We are Pyramiding the Success of our similar Demonstration, held six months ago, which increased our business in our more expensive clothes 30 per cent. since June without further advertising them.

SIX MONTHS ago a dozen newspapers of Greater New York first announced our novel and daring *Advertising Plan.*

The *Cutting of Prices* on *all* our *finest clothes* down to almost the *"free sample"* charge.

The attempt by this *means of introduction* to reach HALF WAY the man who clothes himself *expensively*—in made-ready garments or those custom-tailored.

To *save* the cost of 6 months newspaper advertising (necessary otherwise) to offset *two years* advertising to reach the larger class—the moderate-priced-clothes buyers.

We had begun our **TEST.**

Were these men who merely sought a "snap" or were they the men on whom we were staking a huge sum of losses on sales?

Would they come back? Would we really save the cost of 6 months newspaper advertising and do its work in 10 days?

The 6 months are up. We've made our *test*—and WON.

Today we have **130** customers in *higher priced* clothes for every **100** we had last June.

And now is the moment to PYRAMID *our Success.*

So we announce a *second* Demonstration—*identical* in every way. Here is the story:

AN ADVERTISING PLAN

To **demonstrate** their beauty, their quality, their perfection, we are marking **ALL** the **highest class** Smith Gray & Co. Sack Suits in our four stores which are priced at

$30, $32.50, $35, $37.50, $40 & $45 DOWN TO $22.50

The resulting loss on every sale to be charged to advertising.

Absolutely *no sack suits* have been *reserved*—and none have been *removed* from our stores.

Naturally, our *heavy losses* on sales will not permit us to continue this Demonstration *beyond a limited period,* and immediately after the closing day every garment left unsold will be *marked up to its original price.*

We are reaching out for *men of discrimination* who are accustomed to **$40.00** and **$45.00** suits. We give them an *opportunity* to learn of ours at a cost of **$22.50.**

The *custom tailored* man who pays prices beyond all reason to his tailor will find he is *some $30.00* ahead of the game—that he has *saved some valuable time* and *gained some valuable knowledge.*

Smith Gray & Co.
UNDER SAME CONTROL & OWNERSHIP SINCE 1845.
BROADWAY AT WARREN ST. — NEW YORK — 5TH AV., BET. 27TH & 28TH STS.
FULTON ST., AT FLATBUSH AV.—BROOKLYN — BROADWAY AT BEDFORD AV.

B. Altman & Co.

will hold this day (Monday) a Special Sale of

WOMEN'S AFTERNOON AND EVENING DRESSES, including styles in velveteen and corduroy at $18.00, 25.00 & 35.00

WOMEN'S TAILOR-MADE SUITS, including styles in velveteen and corduroy, at . . . . . $25.00 & 35.00

ALSO SPECIAL SALES OF
Men's Fur-lined and English Wool Overcoats and French Ramie Linen.

A Very Important Sale of Household and Decorative Linens Blankets, etc.
is in course of preparation and will commence on
THURSDAY, JANUARY 2, 1913

B. Altman & Co.

ANNOUNCE THAT AN EXTENSIVE SALE OF
WOMEN'S MUSLIN UNDERWEAR
WILL BE HELD VERY SHORTLY

Fifth Avenue, 34th and 35th Streets, New York.

Gilbey's
INVALID PORT
(Imported in Bottles only)
A LIGHT AFTER DINNER WINE
FOUR POUNDS OF GRAPES IN EVERY BOTTLE

GILBEY'S Guarantee is YOUR Safeguard.

If your dealer cannot supply you, we will tell you of one who can.

W. & A. GILBEY,
Flatiron Building
Tel. Gramercy 4490.

The Provident Loan Society
OF NEW YORK
Will open two new offices on Jan. 2, 1913
180 East 72nd Street
NEAR THIRD AVENUE
East Houston and Essex Streets
CORNER

Important To Sunday Advertisers

The rule as to advertising copy for the Sunday edition of The New York Times, made necessary by the volume of advertising for that issue, is that it shall be in The Times Building by or before

Noon on Friday.

The New York Times
"All the News That's Fit to Print."

RABBI WISE ATTACKS GAYNOR AND WALDO

Calls Police Commissioner "a Menacingly Incompetent and Incorrigibly Stupid Creature."

MAYOR'S SILENCE SCORNED

He Wouldn't Throw Waldo to Wolves, but the City Is Thrown to Dogs—Denounces Slur on Parkhurst.

When Dr. Stephen S. Wise spoke from the pulpit of the Free Synagogue in Carnegie Hall yesterday on certain aspects of the vice and crime problems now confronting New York, he reserved his sharpest words for Mayor Gaynor and Commissioner Waldo. He said:

"Seeing that the head of the present Administration gained the office which he now occupies in very large part through a wild attack upon the head of the Police Department of the last Administration, who, one is sorry to note, is strangely silent when he ought to speak, it has been peculiarly unbecoming for this Administration to be pettishly, when not bitterly, resentful of criticism. When resentment of criticism gives rise not only to abuse of other public officials who are doing their duty in brave and manful fashion, but to the attempt to thwart them in the exercise of their sworn duties; and when, moreover, it moves a city's head to retain in office men woefully incompetent, as well as to defend others subsequently adjudged guilty of felonious courses, it is time to deal in serious fashion with this inhospitality to every judgment touching the Administration that is not flattering.

"The head of the present Police Department is no head at all. Judging him by his own words and works, he is a menacingly incompetent and incorrigibly stupid creature, whom his chief maintains in office lest he be thrown to the wolves, though in the mean time the life of the city may be thrown to the dogs. Given as the head of the city a man who knows that back of him is the city's judgment and conscience, and given another strong man at the head of the Police Department, a man with a backbone, strong and flexible, and given, of course, the weeding out of the undesirable members of the force, the men of whom every one but the Police Commissioner knows that they are crooked and corrupt, and we can again have a Police Department which shall be true and honest and adequate, men who shall be as they ought to be, protectors of the city and the unrelenting foes of wrong and lawlessness.

"Shall we accept the lesser and lowered standards which have so often been offered to us during the past few years? It may be the first duty to preserve 'outward order and decency,' but the truth is that to-day we have neither outward nor inward decency. If you place all emphasis upon outward order, you will barely achieve that. Set inward order as the city's goal, and we may measurably approach the higher standard. Publish to the world, as we have published, that we are bent chiefly and primarily upon having outward order and decency, and men throughout the country will understand, as they have understood, that everything is tolerable here, if but the semblance of order be maintained. We demand inward order and the reality of decency in the life of our city.

"We must not have a partial vision of community needs. As long as there be elements in the community which are unwise enough to magnify the so-called evils of ball playing and beer drinking on Sunday, so long will there be officials of the community ready to profit by and utilize this narrowness of outlook, and thus make it impossible to repress the things which are morally vicious, even though they be not technically criminal. Ball playing and even drinking on Sunday are illegal, but neither is vicious nor criminal. But gambling on any day in the week and the social evil in all its ramifications are fundamentally criminal.

"What the city is permanently to do in the matter of the control, or, in any event, the repression of vice, it ought to determine only after the fullest investigation by a commission, the conclusions of which the conscience of the community ought then to inflexibly support.

"You are responsible for the things that are happening in the life of the city. Nearly twenty years ago a noble religious teacher found it needful to go down into the depths of the city's life in order to render to the city a high and lasting service. Twenty years after, the Mayor of the city, in replying to certain unanswerable strictures made upon him by this teacher, speaks of the latter as going into houses of sin in disguise and feasting his eyes upon the inmates. May I not hope that this pulpit speaks for the moral sense of New York in saying to-day that any man who levels this charge against Dr. Parkhurst, whether he be the Mayor of New York or the vilest creature of the city's streets, has spoken a foul and false word?

"I am not concerned about the man foully assailed, because he is unassailable; his life it is known of all men is pure and holy. What I am concerned about is that the author of this speech would not have dared to perpetrate it if he had not relied upon the approval of what he imagines to be an equally coarse and vulgar electorate. The Mayor of the city is merely your mouthpiece; he will not dare long to say and do the things which will not meet with your acceptance."

POLICE GRAFT A SYMPTOM.

Moss Says It Could Not Endure If Disease Were Not Widespread.

Assistant District Attorney Frank Moss told an audience at the Manhattan Congregational Church, at Broadway and Seventy-sixth Street, last night that the grafting done by the police was only the symptom of a disease which pervaded all of New York. The insurance investigation and like inquiries into the business methods of big institutions had proved, he said, that graft was rife among men of wealth and position as well as in the Police Department. Even among ministers of the Gospel, he said, the evil was not unknown.

Mr. Moss told of a conversation he had had with a grafter. The grafter, he said, was a policeman who trusted him and was willing to unfold the philosophy of grafting without committing himself to anything like a definite confession.

"What kind of a Police Commissioner do you like best?" Mr. Moss had asked him.

"We like a nice, respectable man who doesn't know he's alive," was the reply.

"Why?" asked Mr. Moss.

"Because he puts up a good front. No one would suspect the good Mr. So-and-So and we can do what we like behind his back."

"Why will a man like you take dirty money?" asked Mr. Moss.

"We would be fools if we didn't," was the reply. "Everybody in New York works his position for all it is worth."

Mr. Moss said that, after thinking it over, he had come to the conclusion that there was much truth in this cynical statement.

"While I used to think," he said, "that there was nothing so mean as a grafting policeman who wrung money from unfortunate women, I now believe that the police grafting is only a symptom of a dangerous disease. Police graft is mean enough, but it could not endure in New York City if it stood by itself. But we see the same evil in almost every calling, and when investigations into big businesses show eminent citizens and plunderers cheek by jowl on the same Board of Directors we are able to understand that one reason why graft flourishes in the Police Department is because it flourishes everywhere else."

TO TAKE UP WALDO'S LIST.

Policemen to Testify on Suspected Houses—Witnesses Still Missing.

George A. Sipp and Thomas J. Dorian, who told the Curran Committee that they had paid protection money to Policeman Eugene Fox and who disappeared when subpoenas were issued to make them witnesses against Fox on a criminal charge, are still missing. Deputy Commissioner Dougherty, who was directed by Commissioner Waldo to take charge of the search for the two witnesses, said last night that no trace of them had been obtained.

Policeman Fox will be tried on one charge at Police Headquarters to-day in spite of the absence of these two witnesses. He is accused of conduct unbecoming a policeman and also with insubordination. The first charge will not be heard unless Sipp and Dorian are found, but the charge of insubordination is based on the refusal of Fox to answer questions to Chief Inspector Schmittberger.

The system of reporting places suspected of being disorderly resorts will be the subject of inquiry before the Curran Aldermanic Committee to-day. Capt. Ormsby, who has been on the stand one hour, will be the only witness to-day, according to Emory R. Buckner, counsel for the committee. Documentary evidence in the shape of police reports on suspected disorderly resorts will also be placed in evidence. In this way at least a part of the list of addresses of suspected places, which was prepared some time ago by Commissioner Waldo, will be made public.

Following Capt. Ormsby a number of other members of the Police Department, from patrolmen to Inspectors, will be summoned and questioned as to their interpretation of their duty in regard to the reporting of suspected places. Mr. Buckner believes, from the testimony given before the committee, that patrolmen and police officials acted on widely varying theories as to the meaning of the rule that they should make monthly reports of the places in their districts which seemed to be irregular.

Detectives from the District Attorney's office obtained several new witnesses yesterday, who will tell their stories to the Grand Jury during the investigation of police graft charges this week. Women of the type of Mrs. Mary Goode will be among the first witnesses called for the investigation, as the District Attorney is anxious to get their stories on record as quickly as possible in order to prevent them from being induced to change their testimony. Strenuous efforts have been made to silence the proprietresses of disorderly houses, who have told of paying protection money, and to prevent others from talking to representatives of the District Attorney and other investigators.

Y. W. H. A. NEEDS $19,000.

Organization Must Obtain It to Receive $40,000 from Jacob H. Schiff.

When the movement to erect a new headquarters for the Young Women's Hebrew Association, to cost $250,000, was started last Spring, Jacob H. Schiff promised to give $40,000 toward the building provided $210,000 was obtained before Jan. 1, 1913. It was announced yesterday at the present headquarters of the Y. W. H. A., 1578 Lexington Avenue, that $191,000 of this $210,000 had been obtained, leaving $19,000 to be obtained before midnight on Tuesday.

Ground for the new building has already been purchased, it was said yesterday, in 110th Street between Fifth and Lenox Avenues. The new building will be eight stories high, and aside from an auditorium, gymnasium and classrooms will contain 150 sleeping rooms for working girls. Mrs. Felix M. Warburg, Treasurer of the building fund of the Young Women's Hebrew Association, will be in her offices, 52 William Street, all day to-day and to-morrow to receive contributions. Checks should be sent directly to Mrs. Warburg.

EAST SIDE BIRTH RATE UP.

1,162 Babies Born in Jewish Maternity Hospital in 1912.

The annual report of the Jewish Maternity Hospital, 270 East Broadway, made public yesterday, showed that 1,162 babies were born within the walls of the institution during the year. According to the Superintendent, Irwin Arnow, this beats all previous records and indicates a higher birthrate on the east side than has ever been recorded.

There were 609 boys among the babies and 558 girls. There were fourteen sets of twins and one set of triplets. The hospital had been so overcrowded during the Summer months, Supt. Arnow said in his report, that beds had to be set up on the roof for some of the mothers and children.

New Year's Treat for Newsboys.

Two hundred newsboys will be the guests of I. A. Ullman in his shop at 431 Fulton Street, Brooklyn, on New Year's Day. Prominent men have been invited to address the boys, and after a dinner at 4 o'clock vaudeville performers will entertain them.

Swimmer to Freedom Rearrested.

Walter Richter, who escaped from the city reformatory on Hart's Island last August by swimming across the Sound to Hunter's Island, was arraigned before Magistrate Freschi in Harlem court yesterday by an indignant policeman—Patrolman Winterhalter of the Lenox Avenue station—who ran into Richter on Saturday night at Eighth Avenue and 144th Street, and was painfully beaten by five friends of Richter's in the process of making the arrest. But he made it, and Richter was held for trial on the charge of assaulting Winterhalter.

The Most Important Event In This Morning's News Is the

YEAR-END SALE

At GIMBELS

¶ We are getting the store ready to greet 1913 with a smiling face

¶ Every section joins enthusiastically in the work of getting out all the small remaining lots of merchandise reminiscent of our large Christmas business

¶ There are economies all along the line—staple merchandise as well as holiday goods

¶ These last two days of 1912 may be put greatly to your advantage—as a running start toward economy for the New Year—through the fine offerings of this Gimbel Year-End event

Men—There's Handsome Profit in Discounting NOW Your Later Needs for These

SHIRTS and PAJAMAS

Let us put a direct question to you.

You will need new shirts for Spring, and soft shirts for Summer, and new supplies of pajamas.

Why put off buying things that you know you will ultimately have to get, when you can save from 25 to 33 1-3 per cent. by buying NOW?

That is just what this Annual Men's Sale offers you—concrete savings of one-quarter to one-third.

For the Shirts and Pajamas are regular Gimbel merchandise, made to order, such as we sell regularly at their par value.

There are warm domet Pajamas, for instance, at $1.15, that are every bit of $1.50 quality. The best grade of mercerized cotton Pajamas, in plain colors, in a comfortable weight for Spring and Summer, at $1.35, that retail variously at $2 and $2.50. And others from self-striped white madras at $1 a suit, to silk-and-cotton at $2.75—all equally extraordinary.

Among the Shirts, you may have handsome printed percales, plaited or plain, at 95c, that are of $1.50 quality. Soft-cuff Shirts in smart patterns, good now, but better still for Summer wear, at $1.35 and $1.65, and from there up to Shirts of pure silk at $3.75 that by rights should bring $5.

It is our best presentation, so far, of Men's Shirts and Pajamas. Later, you will gladly pay full prices for the same merchandise—or get less for the same money that it will take now to anticipate your needs.

Today and Tomorrow Are the Last Two Days of the Sale

Main Floor

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SERVICE.

It was a moving little address that Gov. WILSON delivered at Staunton on his birthday. He was himself evidently under the influence of unwonted emotion, and his words stirred the rural audience markedly. Facing the opportunities, the duties, and the difficulties of the great office to which he has been chosen, Mr. WILSON undertook to express the spirit and the purpose with which he will enter upon it. Evidently he is profoundly impressed by the situation that confronts him. Possibly he is unduly impressed by what he regards as its novelty.

> All the world, he says, is turning now, as never before, to this conception of the elevation of humanity, not of the preferred few, not of those who can by superior wits or unusual opportunity struggle to the top, no matter whom they trample under foot, but of men who cannot struggle to the top and who must, therefore, be looked to by the forces of society, for they have no single force by which they can serve themselves.

This conception, we are inclined to think, is a very old one which many men in many ages have striven to realize and toward which the evolution of the race, with some inevitable reaction, has tended. What is most interesting in Mr. WILSON's treatment of it is not his definition of the conception, but his intimation as to what can be done to apply it. He says:

> The one thing that the business men of the United States are now discovering, some of them for themselves, and some of them by suggestion, is that they are not going to be allowed to make any money except for a quid pro quo, that they must render a service or get nothing, and that in the regulation of business the Government, that is to say, the moral judgment of the majority, must determine whether what they are doing is a service or not a service, and that everything in business and politics is going to be reduced to this standard. "Are you giving anything to society when you want to take something out of society?" is the question to put to them.

Here is implied a view of the function of Government, and especially of the Government of the United States, to which the public mind is not accustomed and which opens up infinite possibilities in many directions. We do not ourselves find explicit warrant for it in the Constitution which the people have set as a standard of conduct for their elected representatives, legislative or Executive. Mr. WILSON seems to think that it is a view "which the "fine men who set up the Government "of the United States had in the beginning," but it is hardly one that can be found in the writings of THOMAS JEFFERSON, to whom the President-elect paid the most glowing tribute. Indeed, in the form chosen by Mr. WILSON to present it, the view is one that might well make Mr. JEFFERSON, were he living, first gasp and then rage. The convinced individualist who believed that the Nation was best governed which was governed least would look with dismay on the notion that the Government could say on what terms men are to "be allowed to make any money."

Had he been inclined to think that the abstract requirement to be imposed by the Government was desirable, he would have shrunk with terror, inspired by his own experience, from the burden of choosing agents for such a job. "No duty the Executive had to perform," wrote JEFFERSON, after four months in office, "was so trying as to put the right man in the right place." His successors have found it increasingly trying with the growth of the Nation and the necessary increase of the Governmental force. What would JEFFERSON think of his chances of success were he forced to select agents for the general regulation of all business on the basis of the Golden Rule? Here, we venture to suggest, is a point in the voyage proposed by Mr. WILSON for his Administration which will require exceedingly careful sailing. Prof. SUMNER once said that a good deal of modern philanthropy was in effect a conspiracy between A and B to get C to do something for D. In any broad system of Governmental benevolence it is plain that the fate of D would depend very much on the character and capability of C. The motives of A and B might be of the purest, but they would be barren of benefit unless C were an agent of extraordinary skill and of the highest character.

Looking forward to the duties that await Mr. WILSON, the plain, old-fashioned, needful things he will be called on to do, and reflecting on the obstacles he will have to overcome to do them reasonably well, we are inclined to think that the realization of the "vision splendid" by which at present he "moves attended" may wisely be—and probably will have to be—for a considerable time postponed.

FIGURES AND SUPERSTITION.

In our foreign dispatches yesterday there were reported from two European capitals curious instances of the influence which certain figures have on even trained intellects. The veteran philosopher, FREDERIC HARRISON, while owning that the notion is "fanciful," declares that "a new century, plus the "ominous thirteen, seems to have some"thing in it of fate." Did not the "downfall of NAPOLEON's imperial am"bition occur in 1813," and "the collapse "of the ascendency of LOUIS XIV. in "1713," and why should not changes as momentous take place in 1913?

At the same time, they are talking in Berlin of a prophecy made in the first half of the nineteenth century in which a Russian soothsayer fixed 1913 as a year in which Germany would become involved in a tremendous European war. Probably the soothsayer hit upon 13 as a figure popularly regarded as fateful, and he may even have been enough of a historian to be influenced by the same coincidences that Mr. HARRISON notes. The spell that such chance associations exert on the human mind is an obscure phenomenon. If, however, any sensible person feels himself affected by it, let him reflect that for every happening that is matched after a hundred years, there are millions—some very important—that are not so matched, so that the chance of such an occurrence is infinitely small. The likelihood of great disturbance in 1913 is not a whit greater than in 1931, or any other year.

UNIONISTS' OFFER, CANADA'S PRICE.

When the Premier of the Dominion was in England he made it clear that Canada had no mind to be an "adjunct" even of the Empire. Now the Empire is making it clear that it has no notion of being an adjunct of its colony, through the hostile reception of the idea of taxing the food of Englishmen for the benefit of Canadian farmers. Canada's price for its naval contribution was admission to the Defense Council of the Empire. Mr. ASQUITH humbled himself to assent to what he had rejected, and now there is doubt whether those who made the proposal on behalf of Canada can perform their share of the bargain. The abandonment of the non-partisan policy of a Canadian navy for Canada, embodying the conception of self-defense as Canada's proper contribution to imperial defense, is too great a price to pay for the shadowy advantage of being swallowed up in the Imperial Council. If the vote is by dreadnoughts, or by population, or by wealth, Canada might as well be outside the Defense Council as within it.

In like manner the idea of unifying the Empire by the cohesive force of a tariff against the rest of the world fails in its strongest link. There is no possibility of imperial preference without a duty in England on wool and foodstuffs in order that a preference may be given to Australia and Canada. The leader of the Unionist Party was the man who was bold enough to put on the colonies the burden of asking Englishmen to pay these taxes in order that the colonial products might be exempted from them. Standing beside Mr. BONAR LAW, Mr. SMITH, another Unionist leader, asked whether England had forgotten the splendid bribe which the United States had offered to Canada, meaning the reciprocity treaty, and proceeding to say:

> I can only say for myself that as Canada fought her battle for England, so will I, according to the poor measure of my capacity, fight the battle for Canada. The Conservative Party in Canada took their lives in their hands on behalf of England. I, for one, will not put a higher value upon my political life.

The echoes of these bold words show that it is a clear case of political suicide. Neither England, nor Canada, nor Australia will have anything to do with the idea. The London Times says that those who propose such a thing have no idea where they are leading their followers. No English statesman can even dream of such a thing, and Mr. LAW must "go" as leader. The Melbourne Argus says this week:

> This new turn in tariff reform agitation may be productive of dangerous results not only to the Unionists but also to the Empire. The imperial bond will be strained to the breaking point if the people of the United Kingdom are led to believe they are being taxed for an emergency.

The Montreal Gazette says that nobody should propose or approve a tax which did not meet the approval of those in Great Britain who were to pay it, and was to be levied for the benefit of those outside of Great Britain who were not to pay it. The taxing of the Empire as the result of a colonial referendum is topsy-turvy politics, a new and strange variant of taxation without representation. British protectionism originally was devised to kill the scent of the South African misadventure, and is now the herring across the all conquering gift policy of LLOYD-GEORGE. Britain responds to the cry of insular against imperial interests. Australia and Canada raise the cry of imperialism in the hope of profit for the colonies. Canada asks a price for admission to the council of the Empire, and the Unionists offer a tariff bribe against the Dominion's leaving the Empire.

EXPENSIVE THEATRE TICKETS.

The increase in theatre prices at some, if not most, of the city theatres on New Year's Eve is a measure of dubious commercial wisdom. But the people who are determined to spend that evening at the play will pay the price, and if the houses are filled the managers will never know how many of their regular customers have been offended by the increase, and, for that matter, will never care. It is perfectly true that the cost of keeping a theatre open in the shopping period preceding the holidays greatly exceeds the receipts. Theatrical enterprises are suspended in that period, when suspension is possible, but that is not profitable. To endeavor to make up for the loss, somewhat, when the public is ready to rush to the theatre, is no more than human. But it is not necessarily good business sense. Many persons will pay the advanced prices and talk a great deal about extortion afterward.

Still, the burden of blame, if anybody is to be blamed, must rest equally on the managers and their customers. The managers ask more for tickets because they can get more; and the people who go to the theatre New Year's Eve pay more because they are determined to begin their festive farewell to the old year by seeing a play or a show. No great ethical question is involved, and the increase is a trifle, compared with the money these very people are likely to pay for food and drink later in the night. After all, only a small portion of the theatre-supporting public is concerned. But a standardization of theatrical prices would be desirable, and a disposition to raise prices simply because there is sure to be plenty of patronage is one which the managers cannot afford to give way to very often.

MR. LASCURAIN'S CHEERFUL VIEW.

Mr. LASCURAIN, Minister of Foreign Affairs in President MADERO's Cabinet, takes a cheerful view of the situation in Mexico in an interview reported in The World. He declares that "tran"quillity prevails everywhere save in "a few remote sections." We have heard that from others well informed in Mexican affairs, but they have admitted that the tranquillity was somewhat marred by apprehension. Mr. LASCURAIN is confident that the armed malcontents in Mexico do not number more than 25,000, and says they are split up in small bands, and that "there "is no suggestion of politics behind "their movements." He reviews the troubles Mr. MADERO's administration has encountered, and finds comfort in the fact that, in spite of rebellion, the Government's receipts for the last fiscal year exceeded expenses by $8,200,000. "Certain interests" have conspired to raise the alarm of American intervention in Mexico, he says. If it is true that "there has been much misrepresentation of Mexico" in this country, it is equally true that there has been much misrepresentation of the attitude of the United States in Mexico. The Government at Washington has done nothing to justify the fear of intervention. Mr. LASCURAIN's statements are not new. Nor is his assurance of the friendly feeling of most Mexicans for our country. But it is well to have his testimony on these points at the present moment. As he says, there has been no complaint from any of the large American interests in Mexico. He may be assured that all Americans who have no interest in Mexico, except the friendly interest of neighbors, earnestly hope for the early pacification of his country.

THE BRITISH INSURANCE ACT.

When the terms of the British insurance act were first made known 27,400 doctors signed a personal pledge not to accept service under it. The profession is still bitter about it, but the revolt is now less vigorous, and there seems an improving prospect that the doctors may co-operate with the Government after all. The ground of their standing out was that the Government requisitioned their services without making a bargain about it. The opposition sufficed to compel the Government to increase its original offer of $1.08 annually for each patient served under the insurance act to $2.04. At this rate, two thousand patients would produce an income of $4,000 gross. The necessary professional expenses would leave the net income inadequate for personal support, and the number of patients is so large that the service to them would be poor.

On the other hand, if the doctors were to be paid better the financial balance of the bill would be upset. The hospitals as well as the doctors are disaffected, and are in better position to make their protest effective. Since the people's health is to be cared for from tax money, the hospitals declare that they will withhold charitable assistance heretofore rendered to the poor. The amount already paid under the act is $90,000,000, and Sir JAMES BARR has calculated that the cost of the bill will reach $150,000,000. This is the cost of fifteen dreadnoughts, which would save the life of the nation, whereas the working of the act will not save the life of a single person not now already better cared for.

The singular thing is that this great piece of legislation, with beneficent intent, is a gratuitous offer. It was not asked for by those who are to be benefited by it, and they, or many of them, are as hostile to it as the doctors. The doubt of its popularity is so great that already there is being brought forward another great piece of progressive legislation, which is likely to be so much talked about that the insurance act will fall into the background. In a few days Mr. LLOYD-GEORGE is to bring on his land tax reform. Every one who does not pay land taxes is sure that this is the very way to make the rich bear the burdens of the poor. Taxes come ahead of mortgages, and if the taxes are large enough the land is likely to be cheapened enough to bring it within the reach of those able to profit by sacrifice sales. Somewhere there is an end to happiness through taxation, but the end does not seem yet to have been reached in England.

THE "INTERLOCKING DIRECTORS" BUGABOO.

The article on "Interlocking Directors in Charities and Good Works" in the Magazine Section of THE SUNDAY TIMES gave timely emphasis to a fact which may not have been strongly impressed, previously, on the public mind. There are seven men, resident in this city, whose names figure in the lists of Directors of many financial institutions, who are also on the boards of many charitable organizations, educational institutions, and hospitals. There are a dozen others prominent in the directorates of the financial world, who are also Directors of the Metropolitan Museum of Art and the Charity Organization Society.

When it comes to "interlocking Directors," the American Museum of Natural History, the Historical Society, and the Zoological Society illustrate the practice as surely as any three fiduciary institutions one could name. There are thirty residents of this city who are more conspicuous than any others in the direction of its charities, its educational, scientific, and art work. Many of these are also prominent in its financial affairs. The coincidence might not have been worth noting at this time if so much had not been made of the continual occurrence of a few names in the lists of financial Directors. The only lesson is that leading citizens are apt to lead in many fields of human activity. Their influence and energy are essential in the promotion of beneficent public works.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES.

Mormonism Put to the Test.

Students of the human mind and the way it reacts to facts will watch with keenest interest to see what effect is produced on Mormons and Mormonism by the revelations, printed in THE SUNDAY TIMES, in regard to the "translations" made by JOSEPH SMITH of certain Egyptian documents that fell into his hands.

Of course these revelations were not needed to convince any except the most credulous that the cult started by this strange "prophet" and developed into a huge, well-working structure by BRIGHAM YOUNG, a much greater—a really great—man, is a wild product of illusion and delusion combined. Thousands and thousands of perfectly sincere people, however, did come to believe in him as an inspired mouthpiece of divinity and the founder of a real religion, worth living for and dying for. It remains to be seen what these people will say to indubitable proof that SMITH did with these hieroglyphics no more than any other densely ignorant man with an active imagination could have done and that the meaning he ascribed to them was utterly and amusingly wrong.

They can, indeed, find a precarious and yet tenable refuge in the fact that the Book of Mormon, the real foundation of their theology, came from a wholly different source, and that no Egyptologist can possibly prove that the golden plates carried away by the angel after SMITH had turned their text into English did not contain just what he said they did. This is what the shrewd men who are dependent for power and fortune on the perpetuation of their cult will probably say; indeed, there is nothing else that they can say, but even the densest of their followers can hardly fail to be disquieted by the disclosure that their revered martyr at least once produced a revelation which simply could not have been "from GOD."

Probably enough, though, the faith of the Mormon masses will survive the shock, for it is no more severe than, and is of the same kind as, has been inflicted again and again upon the followers of Mrs. EDDY, without having as yet produced upon them any distinctly visible or measurable effect. The resentment they will feel at what they consider impious attacks upon their religion will tend to blind them, as it does all fanatics, to the nature and value of the evidence produced, and the chances are that Mormonism will easily survive what is, after all, an assault on one of its outer defenses, and not on its citadel.

Proved Their Ability to "Get There."

By reaching Albany well ahead of their itinerary as planned, the marchers for suffrage accomplished not a few things of not a little importance to their cause. For one thing, they have proved by an achievement quite innocent and in every way harmless—except, just possibly, to themselves—that American women demanding the vote can be as courageous, as determined, and as sincere as are the British militants.

The latter, to demonstrate like qualities, have taken the wholly different means of committing assorted crimes and misdemeanors in an attempt so to injure or imperil or annoy others as to secure the granting of their requests merely for the sake of peace. That, so far as it went, is war, and, like all war, it was justified only as a last resort for the securing of justice or the maintaining of right. Success would have come pretty near vindicating this method, but England has been irritated, not frightened, and in the opinion of most judges, some of them sympathetic with the aspirations of the women suffragists, their cause has suffered from militancy more than it has gained.

No such criticism of the march to Albany can be made. It troubled nobody except a few unnecessarily anxious relatives, and though it has brought upon the marchers much fatigue and not a little hardship, both were of a healthy kind, the one to be repaired by rest and the other to be remembered with honest pride. The making of the journey, to be sure, had no direct relevancy to the question whether women should vote or not, but therein it does not differ from a majority of the political demonstrations made by men, they, too, being much oftener addressed to emotion than to reason. It proves quite as much for women to walk to Albany as it did for New York's solid citizens to tramp long miles over the Broadway pavement in the sound money parade. That also was irrelevant, but it counted.

The women, as it happens, have done more than walk—they have talked, volubly and vigorously, all along the way, and always to that aroused and interested curiosity which is the finest of ground in which to sow any seed. Braving laughter, derision, and insult, they have encountered none of them except in minute quantities and mild forms, but much of courtesy, helpfulness, and applause. Everything considered, the marchers have reason to congratulate themselves on their achievement. They have gained an enormous amount of advertising, and far, far be it from us to deny that advertising pays.

They Go to the Best Market.

By a quantitative analysis of the contents of the Subway refuse cans, our neighbor The Herald—three cents—discovered that on a certain morning there had been gathered up in the trains and consigned to these receptacles 456 Worlds, 318 TIMES, and 316 copies of "another penny paper." Wherefore it concludes that the one-cent papers must be without value to readers or advertisers. The proportion of copies of THE TIMES is not very large—318 out of a daily edition of over 240,000 copies, all sold. But there is another consideration. THE TIMES does not grant the return privilege; for some readers there is nothing to be done with a copy of the paper, once read, save to start it on its way to the pulp mill. On the other hand, copies of The Herald thrown away in the Subway trains may be carefully gathered up by the guards, ironed out, and returned to the dealer and by him to the office of publication, where he receives for them just what he paid. The Herald office is a better market for old Heralds than the pulp mill, to which it must consign them ultimately, at a loss. There is another reason why the refuse test, or any other test, would show more TIMES than Heralds—but that is another matter.

GOETHALS GATEWAY.

Hamilton Foley Suggests a Tribute to the Canal Builder.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

As an appropriate honor for Col. Goethals, I suggest that Congress direct that the Culebra Cut hereafter be designated as Goethals Gateway.

The dignity of such a tribute will appear with stronger force the more the idea is considered.

Waterways and monumental engineering works all over the globe have the name of the man or men who made them available for the work of the world. De Lesseps, who so bravely tried to make this canal, is honored by one of the great forts at the Atlantic entrance, where he commenced his effort. Balboa, the name of the Pacific terminal, honors the man who first made that ocean known to our world. Should not the name of Goethals, then, be somewhere on this waterway which connects the two oceans, completes what De Lesseps contemplated, and doubles the value of what Balboa discovered? The Culebra Cut is the one place on the canal that is naturally monumental. It is the place the public most completely understands. Culebra is the place where as an engineer Goethals has assumed all the professional responsibility for the whole canal, and it is likewise the place where he has, as a man and as an executive, so managed the multitude of men under his command as to make them as a unit make and maintain the finest and fastest construction corps the world has known.

There have been many Generals. Honorable as is the rank and title, it is one of war. There can be only one builder of the Panama Canal, and his work, let us hope, will find its greatest usefulness as a work of peace.

The honors now proposed for Col. Goethals are his due because of the work of his canal army. The motto of that army has been; "Continents divided, the world united." Because of the intimate, personal way in which Col. Goethals has directed every move of this army and its men from Culebra, that place has long been, unofficially, almost synonymous with his name. Practically every member of Congress knows this, so that if that great body will vote to give to Culebra and its great cut the name that it instantly suggests to all canal makers, it will do all that it can do to give to Col. Goethals the honor of knowing that, in so far as our Congress could accomplish it, for all time to come, "the "world" will be "united" through Goethals Gateway.

No engineer could have a finer honor.

HAMILTON FOLEY.

Ancon, Canal Zone, Dec. 24, 1912.

LODGINGS FOR YOUNG PEOPLE

Duchess of Marlborough's Society Would Have a White List Here.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

As there have been many questions asked about the International Association for Housing Students and Other Young People, I venture to say that when Mrs. Heloise Durant Rose was studying two years ago in the British Museum she found that many of the lodging and boarding houses where both young men and women students were forced to live had no inspection and were often decidedly questionable. Many Rhodes scholars spend their long vacation in such houses while working in the Museum.

In some cases the women in charge of these houses were detrimentals, in others this was true of inmates. Well-meaning young persons, through no fault of their own, found themselves in questionable positions. The conditions were made plain to our Ambassador, to Consuls, and to Bishops and clergymen of the Established Church, and soon, from a small beginning, an association was formed, the Duchess of Marlborough being the first President.

One great advantage has been pointed out by Mrs. Boyd Carpenter—there are no salaries, only free and willing service. Volunteer workers investigate conditions and furnish lists of safe and comfortable boarding and rooming houses to other members of the association, to Consuls, bankers, doctors, and clergymen, who in their turn gladly offer help and guidance to students and others. Thus a student often finds both a safe home and a friend.

The work has met with approval from the Consuls and representatives of nearly all European countries, because, as they say, our young people now go everywhere. It is hoped that the association, which has already proved its worth in London, can be adapted to our own peculiar housing conditions. Certainly the homes where our young men and women students live, either here or in Europe, should be on a white list.

LYDIA DWIGHT DAY.

New York, Dec. 25, 1912.

Public "Bakeshops" Needed.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

The tragedy of uncooked meat in a fireless home, with children crying for food, cannot be pictured. Only those familiar with scenes in the tenements can realize it. With coal purchased by the pail at the rate of $15 to $20 a ton, the two to three hours' cooking of a leg of mutton is not possible.

Why are there not bakeshops in American cities? Are there bakeries anywhere on Manhattan Island ready to fill this need? If so, let them send their names and addresses to

THE LITTLE MOTHERS' AID ASSOCIATION,
236 Second Avenue.

New York, Dec. 20, 1912.

HOMICIDAL CHAUFFEURS.

Strict Licensing and Severe Punishment Urged as Remedies.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

What a year ago was called the "Danger of the Streets" is now, and appallingly so, changed to the "Slaughter in the Streets." But in all the appeals in newspapers, together with their trenchant editorial comment, I do not recall having seen stated one principal reason for the increase of fatalities in excess of the increasing use of motor cars.

That reason is the apparently lowering moral standard of character of chauffeurs. This trade, with its ample opportunities for deceit, robbery of fares, and browbeating of peaceful, inoffensive citizens offers a convenient and alluring opening for those criminally inclined. The vast increase of spoliation and knavery with the assistance of taxis points to the numbers of miscreants who have taken up the trade for the good it might do them. These reprobates roam all over the city, handling a powerful instrument of menace, while they lack every moral fibre of consideration for their fellow-men, but on the contrary by the very nature of their debased character are the enemies of all men.

The remedy is this: An ordinance must be passed, and enforced, demanding an indisputable certificate of good moral character as a condition for the granting of a chauffeur's license. And since in business life every person who assumes a financial or administrative responsibility is bonded, so, therefore, the men in whose hands life and limbs of our citizens are held should be officially bonded to guarantee at least a humane performance of their occupation.

D. C. P.

New York, Dec. 22, 1912.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

I have read with much interest your editorial article on "Slaughter in the Streets," also Dr. Parkhurst's letter to THE TIMES on this subject, and feel that you have touched upon a matter which cannot be too strongly agitated. Not until the brutality of this easily avoidable and cold-blooded slaughter is driven home by a fatality to some one near to us do we awaken.

Nearly every New Yorker who is much on the streets feels how futile and impotent his protests and indignation are at his many narrow escapes from being run down almost daily by automobiles driven anywhere from twenty to thirty miles an hour. Many times these speed maniacs drive around corners and by-streets at this rate, without even sounding their horns, and the pedestrian, no matter how nimble, is struck down unawares. He has not even a fighting chance.

I can think of nothing more effective and far-reaching than that all drivers of cars who, while exceeding the speed limit, run down pedestrians should receive a jail sentence, with no alternative. Excessive speed should be sufficient cause to convict the hardened brute who imperils the lives of those on foot. With this kind of a law it is certain that the number of automobile fatalities would diminish rapidly.

A. SCHLESINGER.

New York, Dec. 23, 1912.

RECKLESS CHAUFFEURS.

Street Car Passenger Describes a Narrow Escape.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

Standing at the corner of Broadway and Fifty-fifth Street at the hour when automobiles are speeding uptown in a steady stream I saw my street car approaching, abreast of two automobiles, one behind the other. I knew that I must stand in the little space between them and the car if I wanted to get the latter, and I did so, though it is always a nerve-racking experience. When the car came close to me I saw that there was a third automobile running on the track behind it. Instead of this machine stopping when the car stopped, it suddenly darted out and seemed to head straight at me before I could hastily scramble on to the car step.

No doubt the chauffeur was calculating to a nicety how he could avoid hitting me, but he gave no thought to the sudden fright that he was giving me, which might have caused some woman to lose her head and jump in the wrong direction. Also any one with a weak heart might have dropped dead in the street from the sudden shock.

C.

New York, Dec. 27, 1912.

CHURCH MUSIC DECLINING.

American Boys Not Interested in Choir Singing.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

I read in THE TIMES that T. T. Noble, a noted organist of England, is coming to accept the post of organist and choirmaster at St. Thomas's Church, New York City. The boy choir problem as Mr. Noble will find it here is so different from what he is used to and will expect that he cannot help being disappointed. In England the whole attitude toward church music, and particularly of the boy toward the church choir, is wholesome. Here in New York City the music part of a boy choir is the smallest part. The most difficult tasks are understanding the conditions in which the work is being carried on and how to meet those conditions as well as is possible. Every boy choir is "up against it" in the matter of getting new material all the time. This is an endless task. And, having got this material, to make the work of such vital importance that interest, regular attendance, respect, &c., is shown. As far as I can see, nowhere in this city are these things overcome. At least the music of the boy choirs does not exhibit this fact.

The New York boy has no traditions to make him a chorister. The choir work gets no attention here. Abroad the boy has some reason for feeling proud if he be a member of a church choir. I, therefore, doubt very much if Mr. Noble is going to find things in New York City as he has been used to them. The boy choir abroad may be a logical product, but in New York City it is not, and it is becoming more and more difficult to maintain one even in an indifferent way. There are too many other things offered to the boy which bid stronger for his interest. The end of the boy choir is not far off, and as soon as the attention of the public changes from the secular things to the church again, as it surely will, better church music will have to come.

MASTER IN ARTS.

New York, Dec. 26, 1912.

Insanitary Soda Fountains.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

The time is ripe to earnestly campaign against the slovenly, careless, and unappetizing methods employed behind the soda fountain. The customer drinks his soda, the glass is then removed by the person in charge, who gives the counter or table a negligent rub with a dirty towel. He then dips the glass in a pail of drawn dirty water and the tumbler is again ready for use. It is, indeed, rare to come across a confectionery store where the employe rinses the glass, and I may safely say they are never dried. The glasses are allowed to drain during dull hours, but not having been carefully washed drops of the syrupy fluid still adhere to the sides, and consequently a splendid breeding place for bacteria is furnished.

A. K. K.

New York, Dec. 27, 1912.

A Specious Law.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

One of the most specious frauds I have seen in some time in regard to laws to protect the consumer is the bill introduced in Congress by Mr. Oldfield of Arkansas, requiring shoemakers and shoe dealers to stamp upon shoes a list of materials other than leather used in their construction.

Instead of being a law broadly designed to protect the consumer, it is a law evidently framed by certain selfish interests inside the trade itself. It ought to be called "a law to increase the cost of working people's shoes."

WALTER C. TAYLOR,
Editor The Boot and Shoe Recorder.

Boston, Mass., Dec. 24, 1912.

When Men Wore Breeches.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

Can any of your readers tell me whether men had to sit on the floor to put on their stockings before long trousers came into fashion?

I have but to close my eyes to see George Washington, Thomas Jefferson, and the rest of our great men of those knee-breeches days sitting on the floor drawing up their silk stockings, inch by inch, on a hot Summer's day.

I wonder did they swear when their fingers tore through the thin fabric, or did they simply take it as a matter of course, as we women do?

MISS RIPPER.

New York, Dec. 26, 1912.

SPEAKS UP FOR GOV. DIX.

William Church Osborn Praises Constitutional Executive.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

This is a fitting time to make a note of the constructive side of the administration of Gov. Dix. Let us admit at once that he is not dramatic; that he fails to realize the news value of situations and is not bursting with benevolent meddlesomeness. Let us admit also that in the whole matter of publicity he has been much hampered by the fact that he is a modest and courteous gentleman.

It seems that now by general consent the function of an Executive is to preach morality, to stir the great heart of the people and to lead desperate assaults at forlorn hopes. None of these things has Gov. Dix done. Still at the close of an administration it is well to record such practical forward steps as have been taken by the State under the Executive leadership.

In the Senatorial contest Gov. Dix took the position that the selection of a Senator was left by the constitution to the Legislature and not to the Governor. While that attitude disappointed the partisans, it was a correct construction of the constitutional duty of the Governor and as such is entitled to general respect.

The State of New York has a primary law upon its statute books, because Gov. Dix forced it through. The law needs amendment in the direction of simplicity and the increase of independent voting, but it compares not unfavorably with the primary laws of other States, and the great fact that there is such a law is due solely to the persistence of Gov. Dix. The same may be said of the Income Tax act. Only the determination of the Governor that the pledges of the platform should be fulfilled secured the passage of that act. Whether or not it meets with approval, its passage was the fulfilment of a party pledge ratified by the vote of the people.

The Conservation act is the most forward step in the development of the resources of the State for the use of the people that has been taken in a generation. The views and messages of the Governor upon the desirability of improvements in our water supplies and the utilization of the neglected hydro-electric powers of the State were main factors leading to this advanced legislation.

These three matters of the first importance can justly be ascribed to the Governor's own initiative and determination. He is, however, entitled to credit for other constructive acts of his administration. The Prisons Department, which was a notorious mess of foulness, was cleaned up under him and placed in the hands of a competent and reputable Superintendent. The finances of the State were so disordered that a deficit faced the State during the year 1911. Gov. Dix placed the finances upon a strong and secure basis, although to do so he had to incur the odium of imposing a direct tax. Finally, the major appointments of the Governor have proved themselves to be judicious selections, and the administration of the State offices over which he had some control by appointment has averaged at least as well as in any previous administration.

These constructive gains are worth remembrance, and should appeal to those who desire true progress in State affairs.

WILLIAM CHURCH OSBORN.

New York, Dec. 28, 1912.

AN EQUITABLE GHOST.

Does Watchman Immolated in Burned Building Haunt Its Site?

To the Editor of The New York Times:

Your correspondent "Haunted" remarks that "in this great city, with its thousands of dead and dying, its groans and secret murders, I have never known of a haunted house or street." Let "Haunted" go between midnight and dawn of any Tuesday to the site of the Equitable Building, burned on Jan. 9 last, and see, pacing the Broadway side, a figure dressed like a watchman, with icy and ghastly hands outstretched and lips shaping agonized cries that are never emitted. At times the figure crouches and lifts what appears to be a willow basket filled with waste papers.

It was reported that the fire in the Equitable spread from some waste in the Savarin cafe until it enveloped the great structure, and that after the firemen sawed through the bars of the safe deposit premises and dragged therefrom the still living form of William Giblin, the blanched face and arms of a watchman were seen behind the grating, outlined against the mass of flames. The watchman was never rescued.

I will leave it to others to corroborate this testimony. But the tale can easily be matched of ghosts seen within this city.

EYE-WITNESS.

New York, Dec. 29, 1912.

HEAVY FREIGHT ENGINES

Could Be Replaced with Lighter Ones of Equal Power.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

When Mr. Curtis, in his letter to THE TIMES, speaks of the great weight of freight engines he gets very close to a most important subject. Conservative engineers and expert students of this question have for some time viewed with apprehension the enormous increase in the weight of both freight and passenger engines, and wondered if it could be justified.

In 1889 the Brooks Locomotive Works of Dunkirk, N. Y., built a class of Mogul freight engines for the New York Central & Hudson River Railroad which could handle 2,700 tons on any division of the road. This type of engine weighed only sixty-one tons without tender. A train consisted of sixty loaded box cars, each of which had a "light" weight of 30,000 pounds, and a registered capacity of 60,000 pounds. Now, 30,000 plus 60,000 equals 90,000, or forty-five tons. This result multiplied by sixty totals 2,700 tons, as before stated.

I do not believe that Long Island freight trains are anywhere near as heavy as this even to-day, and yet the engines which haul them are far heavier than the Central's little Brooks "mills" of twenty-three years ago.

ARTHUR CURRAN.

New York, Dec. 26, 1912.

Lawless Lawyers.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

Is not a lawyer on admission to the bar required to take a form of oath designed to secure his faithful observance and support of the law? Does not a lawyer so constituted become a sworn officer of the courts? Does not the legal fraternity take cognizance of infractions in that respect? Does not the Bar Association represent the sense of the legal fraternity in such instances? Cannot the Bar Association take cognizance of the behavior of the lawyer, Harold Osgood Binney?

J. W. E.

New York, Dec. 27, 1912.

Steel Trust Not Generous?

To the Editor of The New York Times:

The author of a long and interesting article in the Magazine Section of this morning's NEW YORK TIMES seems to consider $5,500,000 a year a wonderfully generous provision of the Steel Trust for welfare work among its employes. In the same article he states the number of these employes to be 200,000. What does, therefore, this generosity amount to? Twenty-seven dollars and fifty cents a year, or about 53 cents a week, or 9 cents a day for each employe. Wonderfully generous, isn't it?

A. [illegible]

New York, Dec. 29, 1912.

TURKEY WEEK.

Turkey roasted, turkey boiled,
Turkey soup, and turkey stew,
Turkey fritters, turkey hash,
Turkey giblet gravy, too;
Turkey in a chafing dish,
Turkey paté, turkey pie,
Turkey minced, and in croquettes,
Turkey sandwich, thin and dry.

Turkey salad, turkey broth,
Turkey devilled—oh, my soul!
Turkey rarebit, turkey loaf,
Turkey served en casserole;
Turkey on our buttered toast,
Turkey cold and turkey hot,
In a thousand ways disguised,
And at night the turkey trot!

MINNA IRVING.

MAUGHAM SEES PLAY MINE IN TENDERLOIN

And Noted British Dramatist Finds Temptation Strong to Try an American Piece.

NEW WORKS FOR FROHMAN

Went to Canada for Atmosphere—Play-Thinking the Secret of Success—No Special Genius Needed.

W. Somerset Maugham, the English playwright, has just come to New York after a three weeks' stay on a farm near Winnipeg, and last night completed arrangements with Charles Frohman whereby two plays, not yet written, are to be produced next season by the manager. Mr. Maugham went to Canada a few days after his arrival here a month ago to get the atmosphere for one of these plays, whose locale is in that part of the continent.

Two prominent Frohman stars are to use the plays as their starring vehicles next season. After a conference at the Knickerbocker Hotel the contracts for their production were dictated and will be signed immediately.

One of these plays is a farce, which will be produced by Charles Hawtrey in London at about the same time it is brought forward here, and the other is what Mr. Maugham calls his Canadian play, which has its first act placed in London, its second in New York, and its third in interior Canada. The latter play exists so far only in outline in the author's mind.

Mr. Maugham holds the opinion, as he made known in an interview yesterday, that when he has gone as far as outlining his play he has done nine-tenths of the work, and that playwrighting, anyway, does not require any sort of "special genius," but merely a common sense that will not allow the writer to put down anything but what sends his story and his characters forward.

Playthinking the Thing.

"Playthinking is nine-tenths of the labor of making a play," said Mr. Maugham, "while playwriting is merely manual labor that should be postponed as long as possible by any man wishful of giving his best to a drama or comedy, because the moment you reduce a play to written form it ceases to grow. As long as its characters, its action, and its story remain in your mind, independent of manuscript form, it grows day by day and improves. I should say that the right proportion to observe between playthinking and playwriting is years against days. Only when the instinct comes over the playwright that the whole must be recorded or its unity or one of its essential parts will be blurred by forgetting, should the man sit down and write the play he has been turning over in his head for years. Then he should write as rapidly, as uninterruptedly, and as completely, without revision, as possible. Nine-tenths prevision, I should say, and as little as possible of revision, is a fairly good maxim for the playwright.

"For it is with a play as with a portrait or a painted landscape; one ill-considered retouching at the end may destroy its entire unity, throw the whole out of its true focus, and never permit of remedying by any number of subsequent retouches.

"So it is not to be wondered at when a man says he has written a play in six weeks. That is as it should be. The thing is, how much time did he give to his playthinking before he did his playwriting?"

Mr. Maugham said he felt the need of actual facts, true incident, or characters who had lived as the source of any play he did. He said it was this feeling that had led him to make the sojourn on a Canadian farm, from which he had just returned. While on this farm, he said, no one knew who he was or why he was there, except as they could see, of course, that he was not a native of the soil. He entered fully into the life of the people around him, even to the extent of getting up before daylight and engaging in the farmwork that all of them had to do.

The Sojourn in Canada.

"I felt the need," he said, "of actually going to Canada for the background of the play that Mr. Frohman has just accepted. The plot and chief characters of the play already existed in my mind and had lived in England and New York, and I had lived with them. But I wished them to continue their careers in Canada, and it seemed the only way to do was to go to Canada with them.

"No English playwright, certainly not I, would venture to write an American play, per se, though the temptation to all of us who come over here is strong. I see the beginnings of splendid plots for plays, or sharply defined characters out of whose lives plays might be developed, on turning almost any of your street corners. Your life in that particular zone you call the Tenderloin seems to me to teem with fine drama and comedy, and your dramatists recognize this. American life is getting upon the American stage abundantly and well. I say well because, as I have seen them, American types put upon the stage are sharply and swiftly drawn and the plots that their interclash of characters evolve are splendidly of the soil.

"Mind you, I am so far from thinking that the ability to write good plays calls for any special genius that I believe almost the contrary. The sum of any playwright's ability is simply cleverness. It is well that a man bring to his work as full an equipment as possible, but if he has the knack of observation, merely the common sense to put down what he has seen, discarding everything that does not send his story and his characters forward, I believe he is amply equipped to write plays. Playwriting is simply that—the knack of keen observation. It is better if reflection is brought to bear to enrich what a man has observed, but it is not essential. The play of one plane, bright, well-drawn characters, racy of speech and action, all set in a perfectly negligible environment, stands just as good a chance of success as the play of two planes, wherein environment and background are as important as the characters in the foreground.

The Secret of Success.

"Every man has a theory, but no man has the actual law that can tell in a sentence just what it is that projects a play successfully across the footlights. I suppose it is vitality. But vitality of what kind, the author's or the actor's? Certainly it is personal, probably shared by playwright and actor. Vitality plus charm is personality. That is why I would rather have for the acting of my plays a man or woman of fine personality than the most finished actor or actress in the world. Personality is everything to the actor, and particularly to the actress. Let them have all the technical knowledge in the world and have no personality, and they have nothing. That is so in letters as well as on the stage. Whom do we call the most beloved man of English letters? Not any of the giants, but one who was thought at his death a failure—Goldsmith.

"You have upon your stage a consummate artist, but better, the most charming personality, the most vital figure I have ever seen in any theatre in England or in Europe. If you would know the secret of projecting plays across the footlights, seemingly with perfect ease and yet with amazing fascination to every spectator, ask Maude Adams. In England I had seen the performance of 'Peter Pan,' but the play itself—like all plays, the development of a fascinating central figure in conflict with its environment—has never really crossed the footlights except on the hands of Miss Adams in America."

Mr. Maugham's remarks closed with a confidence as to the very slight thing that he held against New York.

"Indeed, I like New York," he said, "but I should like it ever so much more if people would not persist in thinking me a highbrow, and only happy in the company of highbrows. I like jolly company and pretty girls, but everybody will have it that I want to discuss the drama and the latest development in Continental thought. I don't. All I want is a regular human time, like any other human being. And, for the most part, that is just what I have had. Since I have been among Americans I have never once been bored except by Englishmen. Your huge hotels are an endless source of wonderment to me. Think of the Waldorf-Astoria, for instance. What a perfect place for the seclusion of the masses. But the 15th of next month, unfortunately, will be the end of my visit. If by then I am not gone and settled down to work I am sure Mr. Frohman will think me sufficient provocation for other uses of his stick than walking."

THE PHILHARMONIC CONCERT.

Popular Sunday Afternoon Programme with Josef Lhevinne as Soloist.

Mr. Stransky is making the programmes of the Philharmonic's Sunday afternoon concerts popular by including in them certain numbers that are sure of making a wide and easy appeal. On yesterday's, which was heard by a large audience, there stood Liszt's symphonic poem, "Les Préludes," the most pleasing and melodious of the set; Saint-Saëns's graphic piece, in the same form, describing Phaethon's misadventure with the chariot of the sun, and the overture to Rossini's opera of "William Tell." The symphony was Beethoven's seventh. The performance of "Les Préludes" was the most satisfactory of the orchestral pieces. That of the symphony was not very distinguished.

The soloist was Josef Lhevinne, who made his first appearance in New York this season. He played Tschaikowsky's first piano concerto with plenty of the power and resonance that it needs, as he has played it here before in the seasons in which he has visited New York. His playing is marked by a remarkably sure and accurate technique, a grasp of most of the technical problems that are put before the pianist, and a command of rich and sonorous tone. He is a conscientious and unpretending artist, who is absorbed in the music he is playing, and makes no suggestion of personal display or appeal to the wonder of the unthinking. In the years that he has appeared here, however, he has hardly gained in imagination, in poetical feeling, and his performances give much evidence of being carefully thought out and mastered in all physical points, and little of being inspired by any high flight of emotion or fired by enthusiasm. His playing of Tschaikowsky's concerto, however, brought him plenty of applause.

MME. CLARA BUTT HERE.

Her Three Children Accompanying English Contralto on World Tour.

Mme. Clara Butt, the well-known English contralto, arrived here yesterday on the Cunard liner Campania, on her trip around the world accompanied by her husband, Kennerly Rumford, the baritone. She will make her first appearance in this city at Carnegie Hall on Jan. 7 with the Volpe Orchestra. She is best known in England as a ballad singer, and has also won laurels in oratorio work.

Mme. Butt has with her her three young children—Roy, Victor, and Joy, 10, 9, and 7 years respectively, who are looked after by a governess and a maid when they are on their travels. The contralto singer is 6 feet 2½ inches tall, which is the reason, she says, for her not going in for an operatic career.

Another artist on the Campania was Elena Gerhardt, the German soprano, who has come over to make a tour through the country, in which she will appear in seventy concerts with the Boston Symphony Orchestra. Her first appearance in New York will be on Jan. 28 at Aeolian Hall. She made her first visit to the United States in January last year.

SPLIT OVER "ELIJAH" MUSIC.

Sunday Performances Not Given When Musicians Demand Higher Pay

The performance of "Elijah" announced to be given at the Broadway Theatre yesterday afternoon and evening did not take place. A scattered audience assembled in the afternoon and waited for three-quarters of an hour before it was announced that money would be returned at the door.

The trouble, it seems, was with the orchestra, who were to be paid $10 apiece for the two performances, union rates for a theatrical performance. However, in spite of the fact that costumes and scenery were used, the musical union still regarded "Elijah" as an oratorio, and the oratorio rate is $8 a performance for each musician, or $16 for the two. In the evening there was no attempt made to give a performance. The enterprise was fathered by Samuel Kronberg, the Shuberts having no interest whatever in it.

Special New Year Night in Vaudeville.

Keith's Union Square Theatre announced yesterday a new departure for New Year's Eve. Two performances are to be given to-morrow evening, the first to begin at 7:30 o'clock; the second, which will be specially arranged to be in keeping with the new year celebration, will start promptly at 11. The second performance will be unique in its way, as an intermission will take place during the closing of the old and the ushering in of the new year, during which many novel surprises will be introduced.

Mme. Sophie Traubman Heard.

Mme. Sophie Traubman, soprano, assisted by Manfred Malkin, pianist, and Holger Birkerod, baritone, gave a concert yesterday afternoon in Aeolian Hall. Mme. Traubman sang an air from "Aïda," and a duet from "The Flying Dutchman" with Mr. Birkerod, besides two groups of songs. Mr. Malkin played the Bach-Liszt prelude and fugue in A minor, and some Chopin numbers, while Mr. Birkerod was heard in English and German songs.

Ysaye Plays at Metropolitan.

Eugene Ysaye, the Belgian violinist, was the feature of the Metropolitan Opera House concert last evening. He played Saint-Saëns's concerto in B minor, and Bruch's Scotch Fantasie. Mme. Ethel Parks and Putnam Griswold of the opera company also appeared. The orchestra was under the direction of Adolph Rothmeyer. The audience was very large.

"Tristan" Substituted for "Otello."

As Leo Slezak is still sick, "Otello" will not be sung at the Metropolitan Opera House to-night. In its place "Tristan und Isolde" will be performed, with Mme. Gadski, Mrs. Homer, and Mr. Burrian in the cast. Mr. Toscanini will conduct. "Otello," it is announced, will be sung next Monday evening.

THEATRICAL NOTES.

Adeline Genee will add to her programme at to-day's matinee of "La Danse," at the Park Theatre, her "Hunting Dance."

John Cort announces the company that will support Mrs. Leslie Carter in her forthcoming tour as Brandon Hurst, Norman Tharp, Philip Sheridan, Albert Perry, Hamilton Mott, Leon Brown, R. G. Thomas, John Rice, Bennie Carroll, Cora Adams, Maude Hanaford, Lizzie Conway, Mabel Archdale, Georgie Meredith, and Edith Hardy.

In the support of Edmund Breese, who is to be starred by Werba & Luescher in Daniel D. Carter's "The Master Mind," will be seen Katherine La Salle, Dorothy Rossmore, William Rily Hatch, Morgan Coman, Elliott Dexter, Walter Allen, Edward Gillespie, and J. Archie Curtis. Robert Milton will stage the production.

Edward Milton Royle's new play, "The Unwritten Law," will have its first performance in Auburn, N. Y., on Wednesday afternoon, under the management of H. H. Frazee.

A Christmas party for the children of the company and the audience will be given this afternoon at the Children's Theatre. Mrs. Burnett has written some lines bringing the tree into the action of the story of "Racketty-Packetty House."

William Hammerstein will have at the Victoria the week beginning Jan. 13 Jean La Beautte and J. Trovelle, who will give an exhibition of boxing with the feet.

Edward C. Turner, Prosecuting Attorney of Franklin County, Ohio, has presented Robert Hilliard with the dictagraph used in the Cleveland graft cases. It will be employed in "The Argyle Case."

MUSIC NOTES.

In the performance of "Il Barbiere di Siviglia," which will be revived at the Metropolitan Opera House on Wednesday evening, the title rôle will be sung for the first time in his career by Pasquale Amato. Umberto Macnez will make his debut here in the tenor part, and Frieda Hempel will make her second appearance here as Rosina.

Adeline Genee and her company will appear next Saturday at the Hotel Astor at the matinee of the Mozart Society.

The New York Plectrum Orchestra will give a concert in Aeolian Hall on Sunday evening. The soloists will be Bertha Amet and Paul Dufault.

Lest We Forget

If you were not at Church yesterday please send your **Hospital Sunday Gift** to-day for the free treatment of the Sick Poor in 47 New York Hospitals. Every $2.00 provides one day's care.

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YOUNG ROCKEFELLER GUIDED BY PRAYER

Son of Standard Oil Man Says He Pleaded for Four Years to Be Shown the Right Path.

THEN HE WAS ANSWERED

Whatever God Tells a Man to Do Is Right, Speaker Asserts in Tarrytown Y. M. C. A. Address.

Special to The New York Times.

TARRYTOWN, N. Y., Dec. 29.—John D. Rockefeller, Jr., addressed a large audience this afternoon in the Y. M. C. A. Building in this town, which was built with $50,000 given by his father. Mr. Rockefeller told of his faith in prayer and said it was justified by results. He had prayed to God for four years night and morning to guide him in the right path, he said, when suddenly one morning before dawn he arose from his bed and lighted a lamp. He said the path of his life was as clear to him as though there was a sign pointing which was the right road to take. The speaker took as his text St. Paul's question: "Lord, what wilt Thou have me do?"

"I want to call your attention to three words in that question," said Mr. Rockefeller. "First, I will place the emphasis on the word Thou. 'What wilt Thou have me do?' The best advice of a friend is often wrong. Think of the great sums paid to lawyers and doctors for advice. Think of the hours of waiting to see them, while God's advice is free, and we can have it at any time. He will tell you what to do. Now I want to place the emphasis on 'me.' We all know what everybody else should do. I know what my neighbor should do. It's what I should do that concerns me. I believe that every one was put here for some purpose. There is work to do, and if we don't do our share it may go undone and we shall lose the blessing and reward of doing that work. Now the last word in that message, 'do.' It implies action.

"Let no man ask if he prefers comfort or ease. He should only ask the Lord when he is willing to do battle. The answer may call for courage, sacrifice, it may involve a rearrangement of your life plans, but let no man ask the question who fears the answer. It may lead you into the missionary field, the ministry, or a banking house. And possibly to do work with a pick and shovel. If it's God's call that ditches must be dug, it's honorable work. No task for God is too humble or too lofty. He will help us bear our burdens, and if we are weak, He will make us strong. Maybe some of you will say, 'All right, I've asked for help from God, and never received any answer.' I answer you by putting two other questions. Did you really want God to be your counsel and to direct your life, or were you too satisfied with your way of living?

"I knew a man once who thought he was self-sufficient. Time went on and he had reverses. He was crushed to earth. Still he said he needed no help from above. Time went on, and he was cruelly disappointed in love. I talked with him, and I saw his spirit had changed. He said, 'I have made a mess of it going alone,' and he looked up to the Great Counsellor to guide him.

"A good many of us want the jobs to come out into the country to us instead of going into the city to get them. A man with that attitude will never get an answer to his prayer. The men who pray to God in the same way that children write letters to Santa Claus for toys and candy will never find much in prayer. Prayer is intended to get into closer communion with God so that you can hear his slightest whisper.

"I have with me to-day a Bible I treasure above all else, because my mother gave it to me thirty years ago. I prize the book because it tells me that night and morning my mother is praying for her boy. I think I've got the best mother in the world. Every man here thinks he has the best mother in the world, too. Maybe some of you boys have somewhat forgotten your mother. Maybe you haven't written to her as often as you used to. How she dotes on the letters from her boy. But if they don't come she will explain to the neighbors that her boy is probably so busy that he has not had time to write. She will always make excuse for him. And she will be praying for you to-night. We stand upon the threshhold of a new year. The old year is nearly dead. No doubt it contains some records we would like to tear out, but we can't do it now. The new year is coming with every page clean and white.

"You will soon begin a new record. Men, shall we write a clean, strong, manly record? Have we the courage to do it? There can be no shirking in answering this young man's question."

After his address Mr. Rockefeller met those who had listened to him, and when one man, who looked poor and ill-kept, said:

"Mr. Rockefeller, I want to thank you for that message," he seemed much pleased. Another said: "Mr. Rockefeller, you should be a minister."

$8,041 FOR THE HOSPITALS.

Dry Goods and Cotton Exchange Auxiliaries Report Donations.

Subscriptions to the Hospital Saturday and Sunday Association amounting to $5,161 from the Dry Goods Auxiliary have been forwarded by John C. Eames, Treasurer, to Charles Lanier, Treasurer of the association. Donors of $100 and over were as follows:

James A. Hearn & Son, $500; The H. B. Claflin Co., $400; Metcalf Bros. & Co., $150; Jacob S. Bernheimer & Bro., $100; William Whitman & Co., $100; Parker, Wilder & Co., $100; William Iselin & Co., $100; Cone Export and Commission Co., $100; William Ewart & Son, $100; William Openhym & Sons, $100; Frederick Vietor & Achelis, $100; Passavant & Co., $100; Griswoldville Manufacturing Company, $100; Smith, Hogg & Co., $100; Thomas Potts, $100; Clarence Whitman & Co., $100; Lawrence & Co., $100; Calhoun, Robbins & Co., $100; James Talcott, $100; Bliss, Fabyan & Co., $100; J. P. Stevens & Co., $100; J. H. Lane & Co., $100; Taylor, Clapp & Co., $100; A. D. Juilliard & Co., $100; The Spool Cotton Company, $100.

Subscriptions in smaller amounts, aggregating $1,911, made up the total. In this amount were fifteen firms who gave $50 each.

William V. King, Superintendent of the New York Cotton Exchange, announces that subscriptions amounting to $2,880, an increase of $1,585 over last year, have been sent. Gifts of $100 and over were as follows:

Lehman Brothers, $250; George H. McFadden & Brother, $200; Gwathmey & Co., $200; Meyer H. Lehman, $100; Hubbard Brothers & Co., $100; Stephen M. Weld & Co., $100; Robert Moore & Co., $100; Herklotz, Corn & Co., $100; Gibert & Clay, $100; Woodward & Stillman, $100; Hopkins, Dwight & Co., $100.

Other smaller subscriptions totaled $1,430.

MISS FRANCES HARRIS WEDS.

Lew Fields's Sister-in-Law the Bride of Frederick White.

Miss Frances Harris, youngest sister of Mrs. Lew Fields, was married yesterday to Frederick White of London, England, at the home of the bride, 230 Riverside Drive, by the Rev. Gabriel Hirsch. The bride was given away by Lew Fields. The bridesmaid was Miss Frances Fields, niece of the bride, and the maids of honor were Miss Dorothy Fields, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lew Fields, and Miss Rose Fields, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nat Fields. The best man was Daniel Friedlander.

Mr. and Mrs. White left last evening after the ceremony for Washington, and after their return from the honeymoon trip they will reside in West Ninety-fourth Street.

Hammerstein Waltz Cycle Given.

Emma Trentini was ill and could not appear at the Hippodrome concert last evening. As a consequence Orville Harrold sang more times than he was announced. Henry Vogel, Vera de Rosa, and the chorus of "The Firefly" company assisted, and Boris Hambourg, the cellist, played several numbers. A feature of the entertainment was a series of waltzes and marches composed by Oscar Hammerstein and played for the first time.

WILLIAM S. ANDREWS DIES.

Commissioner of Records an Office Holder for Forty Years.

William S. Andrews, one of the old line of New York Tammany politicians, who was at one time an Assemblyman, and is said to have held a greater variety of public offices than any man in the city, died yesterday in a private sanitarium in West Seventy-fourth Street, aged 71 years. His home was at 39 West 105th Street.

The last appointment which Mr. Andrews held, and which he retained until his death, was the berth of City Commissioner of Records, an office without a definite tenure. He was Commissioner of Records since 1906.

Mr. Andrews was born in Texas in 1841. He went to the civil war with the first call, finally serving on the staff of Gen. Burnside. After the war he came to Brooklyn and shortly after was made Collector of Internal Revenue for Brooklyn.

In 1868 he was elected to the Assembly for the first time from Kings County. In 1881 he was elected again, this time from the old Twenty-second District of Manhattan. In 1886 he was appointed Excise Commissioner. He retired three years later, but was reappointed in 1892, and served another year.

Under Mayor Gilroy Mr. Andrews was made Street Cleaning Commissioner to succeed T. S. Brennan. He retained his allegiance to Tammany Hall all the time, and was regarded as one of the most influential politicians in the city. He was a member, also, of the County Democracy and of the Loyal Legion.

PAY DIRECTOR SIMPSON DEAD

Retired Naval Officer Was Prominent in Various Military Orders.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—George Washington Simpson, Pay Director of the United States Navy, retired, died this morning at 6 o'clock at his residence, in the Rochambeau, after a lingering illness. He was never married and is survived by one brother, A. L. Simpson of New York.

He was born in New York on July 4, 1860, and, after completing a private school course, chose the life of the sea. He was appointed an Assistant Paymaster in the navy in 1882. He was a member of the Metropolitan and Army and Navy Clubs of this city and the Yacht and Army and Navy Clubs of New York. He was also active in the work of the Naval and Military Order of the Spanish-American War, the Military Order of Foreign Wars, Naval Order of the United States, and the Society of American Wars.

His ability as a seaman was demonstrated during the Spanish-American war, when as prizemaster he sailed the captured ship Tres Normandes from Havana to Key West without a chart. His greatest work, probably, was that done in connection with Rear Admiral Kenny when they perfected a simplified system of auditing accounts in the navy.

Ward, Famous Taxidermist, Dead.

Rowland Ward, probably the best known taxidermist in the world, died on Saturday at his country home, Restmore, near London, at the age of 64 years. All the big European game hunters brought their jungle trophies to Ward's establishment in London. At one time he had an order to stuff thirty lions shot by Lord Delamere, and as many as sixty rhinoceri and 300 grizzly bears were consigned to him from single expeditions. Recently he sold a great auk's egg for $1,500. He was also the author of many books for sportsmen and naturalists. His brother Edward is also well known as a taxidermist, and his father, Henry Ward, the establisher of the present Ward firm, accompanied the naturalist Audubon as taxidermist on his expeditions.

Miss Lucy Hill Everett.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., Dec. 29.—Miss Lucy Hill Everett, 81 years old, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Huse Everett and niece of Edward Everett, died at the home of her nephew, James Everett Kimball, West Seventh Street, last night. Miss Everett was born June 27, 1831, at West Newbury, Mass. She obtained her education in the district school of a little New England village, and after completing her studies became a teacher in the high schools of Lynn and Salem, Mass. Miss Everett came to Plainfield in 1870 to make her home with her sister, Mrs. Horace Kimball.

The Rev. L. Brady.

Special to The New York Times.

WILMINGTON, Del., Dec. 29.—The Rev. L. Brady, aged 60, dropped dead to-day at St. Paul's Catholic Church at Delaware City, of which he was pastor. Heart trouble was the cause. He was leaving the church by a side entrance when he fell on the steps. He died in five minutes. He was a brother of the Rev. Hubert Brady, assistant pastor of the Church of Our Lady of Loretto, at Hempstead, L. I. He was ordained at the American College, Rome, in 1878, and had filled a number of important charges in this diocese.

Obituary Notes.

JOHN ERSKINE, a retired boot and shoe dealer, formerly of Boston, died yesterday at his home, 94 Hamilton Place.

ARTHUR NELSON DEAN, an insurance broker, of 58 West Seventy-fifth Street, died yesterday at his home of Bright's disease, at the age of 37 years. He was the son of the late William Dean, a prominent manufacturer of Peabody, Mass.

EDWARD P. WATERBURY, a soloist in the choir of the Episcopal Church of the Good Shepherd, Brooklyn, died on Friday of heart disease at his home, 372 Putnam Avenue, Brooklyn. He was 46 years old.

RICHARD SYLVESTER WALSH, for ten years an Inspector in the Department of Gas, Water, and Electricity, died on Friday in St. Catherine's Hospital, Brooklyn, following an operation. He was 40 years old and lived at 596 Driggs Avenue.

RHODA LOUISE GOLDSMITH, widow of Leonard Hall Goldsmith, died Saturday of apoplexy in her home, 15 Neptune Terrace, New Rochelle, N. Y.

HELEN TOWNSEND PEABODY, youngest daughter of the Rev. Dr. Andrew P. Peabody of Harvard University, died Saturday of pneumonia at Boston, at the age of 59 years. Her sister, Miss Mary Mantoul Peabody, died three weeks ago.

Capt. ROBERT SAUERMANN, who until his retirement six years ago was one of the best known Atlantic Captains of the Hamburg-American Line, is dead in Berlin. He was in command of the Amerika when she reached this port on her first voyage on Oct. 2, 1905. At various times he commanded the Auguste Victoria, Prinzessin Victoria Luise, Moltke, and several other large ships of the line.

CHARLES F. GENNERICH, founder of the firm of C. F. Gennerich & Co., wholesale grocers of 49 Harrison Street, died Saturday at his home in Spuyten Duyvil at the age of 66 years. He retired three years ago.

OTTO M. TOBIESSEN, a well-known sea Captain and harbor and river pilot, died on Saturday at his home, 1,963 Cedar Avenue, the Bronx, at the age of 73 years. Several years ago he rescued a shipwrecked crew off the coast of Newfoundland.

JAMES B. CANBY, formerly President of the Commercial Exchange of Philadelphia, died on Saturday in a sanitarium in Westport, N. Y. He was 70 years old, and had been associated with the milling industry for the greater part of his life.

JAY C. MACOMBER, head of the brokerage and commission firm of J. C. Macomber & Co., died on Saturday at West Medford, Mass. He was 45 years old.

CHARLES HENRY HOFFMAN, New York representative of a Holland commercial concern, died Saturday at his home, 726 Halsey Street, Brooklyn. He was 62 years old.

Dr. JAMES MUNROE DALY, one of the founders and incorporators of the Boston Dental School and one of the oldest dentists in the country, died Friday at his home in Dorchester. He was 84 years old, and until a few months before his death walked daily to his offices in Boston.

The Rev. J. J. KEYES, a retired Baptist minister, died on Saturday at his home in Fredonia, N. Y., at the age of 76 years. He began his ministerial life in Wisconsin, came to New York State 40 years ago, and held charges at various times in Elmira, Cazenovia, Dunkirk, Buffalo, and Fredonia.

Mrs. JOHN B. HASLET, a member of one of Mohawk Valley's best known families, died Saturday at her home in Fort Plain, N. Y., at the age of 82 years.

LEON KLEIN, one of the pioneer merchants of Chicago and head of the firm bearing his name, died in Chicago on Saturday. He was 69 years old.

EUGENE ALONZO POOLE, a noted painter of Autumn scenes in this country, is dead at his home in Pittsburgh at the age of 71 years. One of his best known works is a portrait of Chief Justice Morris A. Waite.

ELLEN HEARLE WAGSTAFF, mother of Walter H. Wagstaff, Director of the Climax Stationery Company of this city, died on Saturday at the home of her son, 400 Convent Avenue. She was 92 years old.

GEORGE McCAY, 55 years old, for many years clerk of the Xavier Alumni Sodality, died yesterday in St. Vincent's Hospital from pneumonia. He was unmarried.

JOSIAH MILLSPAUGH, 58 years old, a dry goods superintendent, died yesterday at his home, 154 West Twenty-first Street, from pneumonia.

COURTNEY S. SERVOSS, a retired merchant and an officer in the navy during the civil war, died yesterday in his home, 173 Gates Avenue, Brooklyn, aged 77 years.

ROBT. L. M'CAMERON, NOTED PAINTER, DEAD

Heart Disease Kills Famous Portraitist and Artist of the Poor.

A LUMBERJACK AS A BOY

Received French Legion of Honor Ribbon—Painted Taft and McKinley—Ill Only Ten Days.

Robert Lee MacCameron, the American painter, who recently returned to the United States after a long residence abroad to paint the portraits of several members of the Goelet family, and a few months ago was made a Chevalier of the Legion of Honor, died in his apartments in the Gainsborough Studios, 222 West Fifty-ninth Street, yesterday.

Mr. MacCameron, who was in his forty-seventh year, was a distant relative of Gen. Robert E. Lee. Among the well-known people whose portraits he painted in recent years are President Taft, Mrs. Edward H. Harriman, Miss Maude Adams, the Earl of Clarendon, the Duke and Duchess of Rutland, Mrs. Benjamin Guinness, Mrs. Henry Clews, Jr., Sir Edward Carson, Rodin, the French sculptor, W. Bourke Cockran, Mme. Melba, Mrs. Robert Gerry, and Judge George Gray. He also made portraits of President McKinley and Justices Harlan and Brewer.

Mr. MacCameron was born in Chicago Jan. 14, 1866, the son of Thomas and Hattie MacCameron. His paternal grandmother was a first cousin of Gen. Lee, after whom the artist was named. On the maternal side the family was of English and Dutch origin, the family home being on Long Island for many years.

When he was one year old his parents moved to Necadah, Wis., where the son grew amid an environment that was typical of the West of the old days. When but 14 years old he had developed a splendid physique and was able to earn a man's wages as a lumberjack in the Wisconsin forests. Although his father was moderately well-to-do, Mr. MacCameron as a boy did not enjoy even the ordinary educational advantages, and the total of his schooling in his boyhood was less than one year.

As a boy his artistic talents were apparent, and in his early young manhood he went to Chicago, where he was able to earn a living as an illustrator. From Chicago he came to New York, and here again he was able to make both ends meet as an illustrator. After a brief stay in New York he went to London. This was in 1888, when he was only 22 years old.

In London he obtained employment on a juvenile publication called "The Boys Own," but his stay in London, as it had been in Chicago and in New York, was short, and his course eventually led him to Paris, where he studied at the Beaux Arts. Among his teachers were Gerome, Collin, and for a while Whistler.

The rise of MacCameron in the world of art was slow but sure, and to-day among the great institutions in which his canvases are hung are the Metropolitan Museum of Art, Corcoran Art Gallery in Washington, and Memorial Hall in Philadelphia. His picture in the Metropolitan Museum of Art is that of Rodin, which was presented to the museum by J. Pierpont Morgan.

Among Mr. MacCameron's best known paintings, other than portraits, are "The Dancers," "The Bride's Health," which was purchased by John Wanamaker; "Les Habitues," which is in Memorial Hall, Philadelphia, and "Absinthe," a canvas that shows two men and a woman of the underworld.

Mr. MacCameron was also well known as a painter of the poor and the suffering, among his pictures depicting this side of life being the "Group of Friends" and the "People of the Abyss," the last named representing five outcasts on a Thames Embankment bench.

On July 26 Mr. MacCameron received the ribbon of the French Legion of Honor. He was a member of the Society of French Painters, the International Society of Painters and Sculptors, the Paris Society of American Painters, Institut Francaise aux Etats-Unis, the National Academy of Design of New York, and many other well-known organizations.

Mr. MacCameron became ill a week ago last Thursday, the ailment being a disease of the heart. He rapidly grew worse, and his death at noon yesterday was not unexpected. At his bedside when he died were his wife and two children and Henry Clews, Jr., the latter a friend of many years.

The artist was married July 31, 1902, to Miss Louise Van Voorhis of Rochester, N. Y., daughter of the late John Van Voorhis. Their two children are Robert Francis, born in 1904, and Marguerite, born in 1906.

Had he lived it was Mr. MacCameron's intention to have returned to Paris next Spring. The body will be sent to Rochester to-day, where the funeral will be held, and where it will be buried.

Marriage and death notices intended for insertion in The New York Times may be telephoned to 1000 Bryant.

Born.

ALTSCHUL.—Dec. 24, 105 Meserole St., to Mr. and Mrs. J. Altschul, a daughter.

EDELSTEIN.—Dec. 26, 860 Macon St., Brooklyn, to Mr. and Mrs. T. Edelstein, a daughter.

GERSTEN.—Dec. 25, 941 Intervale Av., Bronx, to Mr. and Mrs. L. Gersten, a son.

ROSENHEIM.—Dec. 24, 171 East 81st St., to Mr. and Mrs. J. Rosenheim, a son.

Engaged.

DOBBINS—SORTWELL.—Rev. Dr. and Mrs. John Y. Dobbins of Long Branch announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Helen Elizabeth Dobbins, to Mr. Daniel L. Sortwell of Boston.

Married.

MONTGOMERY—HUNTER.—Dec. 28, at home of bride, Brooklyn, N. Y., by Rev. John Howland Lathrop, John Rogerson Montgomery of Chicago and Marion Vidaud Hunter. Chicago papers please copy.

BAILEY—FISCHER.—Dec. 27, Minna Fischer to Eben Bailey.

EICHENBRONER—BIMBERG.—Dec. 26, Estelle Bimberg to Edward Eichenbroner.

GARBLIK—SCHOCHET.—Dec. 24, Gussie S. Schochet to Samuel Garblik.

KATZ—BLUME.—Dec. 25, Etta Blume to Henry D. Katz.

LEIBMAN—ROTHMILLER.—Dec. 22, Florence V. Rothmiller to Walter R. Leibman.

LEVINE—SLADKUS.—Dec. 24, Julia Sladkus to Max A. Levine.

MAYER—SPARGER.—Dec. 26, Jeannette Sparger to Louis E. Mayer.

RINDER—WAXMAN.—Dec. 24, Anna Waxman to Terry Rinder.

ROLLE—GARRISON.—Dec. 26, Mildred G. Garrison to Edward Rolle.

SHLIVEK—SIMON.—Dec. 25, Helen Simon to Max Shliver.

SONDHEIMER—MICHELSON.—Dec. 26, Lenora Michelson to Alfred Sondheimer.

ZIPSER—ZIPSER.—Dec. 24, Anna Zipser to Edward Zipser.

Brooklyn.

EDICK—CHAPMAN.—Dec. 25, Nell Chapman to Edwin P. Edick.

METZGER—TANNENHOLZ.—Dec. 22, Eloise Tannenholz to Ira H. Metzger.

SETCHELL—VAN WINKLE.—Dec. 26, Marie L. Van Winkle to John E. Setchell.

SHENKER—AST.—Dec. 22, Annie Ast to Morris Shenker.

Newark.

WEINBERG—OTTOLENGIU.—Dec. 26, Grace H. Ottolengiu to Mortimer Weinberg.

Westchester County.

MARX — ARMSTRONG. — Dec. 24, Yonkers, Elizabeth Amstrong to Harry L. Marx.

Died.

ALLEN.—Passed away Dec. 26, 1912, Maurice J., beloved son of James C. and the late Katherine T. Allen. Interment from his late residence, 70 Bay 29th St., Bensonhurst, on Monday next.

ALLEN.—Alumni Society of Manhattan College: Members are notified of the death of Maurice J. Allen, class of 1903. Funeral Monday from his late residence, 70 Bay 29th St., Bensonhurst. Edward C. McParlan, President; Walter T. Murphy, Secretary.

ALLERTON.—Dec. 29, Bessie L., daughter of the late George W. and Elizabeth R. Allerton. Funeral service at her home, Caldwell, N. J., Tuesday, 2:15 P. M. Carriages will meet train leaving Jersey City (Erie Station) 12:47.

BLEECKER.—On Saturday, Dec. 28, 1912, at her residence, Garden City, L. I., in her 84th year, Eveleen De Witt, eldest daughter of the late Theophylact Bache and Lydia De Witt Bleecker. Funeral services at her late residence on Tuesday, Dec. 31, at 11 o'clock A. M.

BRENNAN.—Paul, Dec. 27th in New York City. Interment at St. Luke's Cemetery, Hohokus, N. J., Monday, Dec. 30th, at 3:30 P. M.

CHITTICK.—At Newark, N. J., Friday evening, Dec. 27, 1912, Harriet Adela Chittick, in her 90th year. Funeral services at residence of her nephew, Mr. James Chittick, 176 North 6th St., corner of 7th Av., Roseville, (Newark,) N. J., Tuesday morning, Dec. 31, at 11 o'clock.

DEAN.—On Dec. 29, 1912, Arthur Nelson, beloved husband of Letha Dean, aged 37 years. Services at Stephen Merritt's Chapel, 223 8th Av., Monday, 11 A. M. Interment Peabody, Mass.

DENNIS.—At her residence, 25 Kenmuir Av., Morristown, N. J., Dec. 27, 1912, Edith Elizabeth, wife of Charles E. Dennis, and daughter of James W. and Julia Jenkinson. Funeral services will be held at her late residence, Dec. 30, at 1 o'clock P. M. Interment at Rockaway, N. J.

DILWORTH.—At Berlin, Md., Dec. 28, Henry C. Dilworth, beloved husband of Matilda Sherwood, formerly of East Orange, N. J. Notice of funeral later.

ERSKINE.—In this city, on Dec. 29, 1912, John Erskine, formerly of Boston, Mass. Funeral private.

GRANT.—Funeral services for the late R. Suydam Grant will be held at Grace Church on Tuesday, Dec. 31, at 10 o'clock. Interment private.

HYND.—At 397 New York Av., Jersey City, Dec. 29, 1912, Elizabeth E., beloved wife of William A. Hynd, in her 43d year. Notice of funeral later.

KOEHLER.—Harry D., died suddenly at City Island, Dec. 29, 1912. Funeral from his sister's residence, Mrs. H. J. Zehder, 2,784 Marion Av., Bedford Park, (198th,) Tuesday, 2 P. M.

LOCKWOOD.—On Dec. 27, Julia Anna, widow of the late John E. Lockwood. Funeral from her late residence, 38 South Parsons Av., Flushing, L. I., Sunday afternoon, Dec. 29, 3 o'clock. Interment at convenience of family.

LOWTHIAN.—Suddenly, on Saturday, Dec. 28, 1912, John J. Lowthian, in the 40th year of his age. Funeral services at the residence of his brother Dr. W. E. Lowthian, 180 Martine Av., White Plains, N. Y., on Monday, the 30th inst., at 8 P. M. Interment at convenience of the family.

LOWINSON.—On Dec. 28, at her home, 553, 2d St., Brooklyn, Eleanore, wife of Charles Lowinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Cohn. Funeral private.

LUDLOW.—On Saturday, Dec. 28, 1912, at her residence, 793 Park Av., Elizabeth C. Ludlow, daughter of the late Robert C. and Mary Peters Ludlow, in her 88th year. Funeral service will be held at the Church of the Resurrection, 74th St., between Park and Lexington Avs., on Tuesday, Dec. 31, at 11 o'clock. Interment private.

McCAY.—At St. Vincent's Hospital, Dec. 29, after a short illness, George McCay, for many years clerk of Xavier Alumni Sodality. Funeral from Delaney's Parlors, 130 Greenwich Av., near 8th Av., Tuesday, Dec. 31, to St. Francis Xavier's Church, West 16th St., at 10:30 A. M.

NEWBOLD.—On Dec. 29, 1912, at his late residence, 2,411 Butler Place, Westchester, New York City, George B. Newbold. Funeral private. Please omit flowers.

MILLSPAUGH.—Josiah, 58. THE FUNERAL CHURCH, 241 West 23d, (Campbell Building,) Wednesday evening, 8 o'clock.

PLATT.—At East Orange, N. J., Dec. 27, 1912, Cordelia Quimby, widow of the late John Platt. Funeral services will be held at 69 Prospect St., East Orange, on Monday morning, Dec. 30, at 11 A. M., on arrival of the 10:30 train from Hoboken, via D., L. & W. R. R. for Brick Church Station. Interment at Woodlawn Cemetery, at the convenience of family.

PLATT.—Albon Man, on Dec. 29, 1912. Funeral from St. Anne's Church, Brooklyn, Tuesday morning, Dec. 31, at 11 A. M.

SCHNEIDER.—Max F., husband of Anna Neuman Schneider, Dec. 28. Funeral private.

SELLEW.—Dr. H. S., suddenly, on Saturday, Dec. 28. Funeral at late residence, 78 East 79th St., Monday evening, Dec. 30, at 8:30 P. M. Interment at convenience of family.

SERVOSS.—On Sunday, Dec. 29, 1912, Courtney Schenck Servoss, son of the late Thomas C. and Eliza W. Servoss. Funeral service at his late residence, 173 Gates Av., Brooklyn, N. Y., on Tuesday evening, at 8 o'clock. Interment at Bethel, Conn.

SHERMAN.—At Newton, Dec. 26, 1912, Sarah L. Sherman of Sandwich, N. H. Funeral, Monday, Dec. 30, at 11 A. M., from her late residence, 32 Hollis St., Newton, Mass.

SINSHEIMER.—On Dec. 29, Alexander Sinsheimer, in his 89th year. Funeral from his late residence, 28 Hamilton Terrace, Tuesday, Dec. 31, at 10 A. M.

STINER.—On Dec. 25, at his home, Great Neck, L. I., after a lingering illness, William H. Stiner, beloved husband of the late Amelia Stiner, in his 79th year. Funeral services will be held Sunday morning, Dec. 29, at Fresh Pond Crematory, Fresh Pond, L. I., at 11 A. M. Kindly omit flowers.

WAGSTAFF.—On Saturday, Dec. 28, Ellen Hearle Wagstaff, aged 92, at the residence of her son, Walter H. Wagstaff, 400 Convent Av. Funeral private, Monday.

WRAY.—Suddenly, on Sunday, Dec. 29, Louise Sloane Wray, daughter of Elizabeth Sloane and John H. Wray. Notice of funeral hereafter.

WURZBACH.—Entered into rest on Sunday, Dec. 29, 1912, Charles Wurzbach, beloved father of F. A. Wurzbach, aged 82 years. Funeral services at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Adam Bien, 1,253 Springfield Av., Irvington, N. J., on Tuesday, Dec. 31, at 2:30 P. M. Interment in Fairmount Cemetery.

BURKE.—Alice, 214 West 16th St., Dec. 28. Funeral to-morrow, 10 A. M.

BYRNE.—Mary A., 29 Harrison St., Dec. 28. Funeral to-morrow, 9:30 A. M.

COONEY.—Ann, 2,470 Hoffman St., Dec. 28. Funeral to-morrow, 8:30 A. M.

DAHL.—Veronica, 2,141 Prospect Av., Bronx, Dec. 27.

DICKESCHEID.—Elizabeth, Port Richmond, S. I., Dec. 27, aged 53. Funeral to-day.

DROUT.—Nicholas, Sr., 431 East 155th St., Dec. 28. Funeral to-day, 9:30 A. M.

DUNPHY.—Henry, 427 West 18th St., Dec. 28. Funeral to-morrow.

EICHELE.—Margaret, 343 West 38th St., Dec. 28. Funeral to-morrow, 9 A. M.

FARRELL.—Patrick, 535 West 51st St., Dec. 27. Funeral to-day, 8:30 A. M.

FRANK.—Richard, 110 East 91st St., Dec. 28. Funeral to-day, 1 P. M.

GAVIN.—Margaret, 348 West 49th St., Dec. 27. Funeral to-day, 9:30 A. M.

GENNERICH.—Christian F., Spuyten Duyvil, Dec. 28. Funeral notice later.

GILLIS.—John R., Dec. 28. Funeral 378 West 125th St. to-day, 10 A. M.

HALPIN.—Sarah, 1,032 3d Av., Dec. 27.

HANNIGAN.—Mary E. G., 417 West 156th St., Dec. 28. Funeral to-morrow, 10:30 A. M.

HESSELBACH.—Alfred, Dec. 27. Funeral 368 West 50th St.

JORDON.—Mary, 261st St. and Riverdale Av., Dec. 28. Funeral to-morrow, 9:30 A. M.

LILLY.—William, 397 Willis Av., Bronx, Dec. 28. Funeral service to-day.

LOEB.—August, 131 West 137th St., Dec. 28. Funeral to-day, 12:30 P. M.

LONDRIGAN.—Patrick, 257 Hudson St., Dec. 28. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

McGRANE.—Hannah, 362 West 58th St., Dec. 27. Funeral to-day, 10 A. M.

O'REILLY.—Anna, 113 East 119th St., Dec. 28. Funeral notice later.

STONE.—Jerome D., 1,268 Clay Av., Bronx, Dec. 28. Funeral private.

SYRON.—Thomas, Dec. 27. Funeral 130 Greenwich Av.

THOMPSON.—Geneve, 149 West 16th St., Dec. 27.

THOMPSON.—William J., 301 East 120th St., Dec. 28.

TOBIESEN.—Otto M., 1,963 Cedar Av., Dec. 27.

TRILLING.—Mary, 537 West 88th St., Dec. 27.

WAGSTAFF.—Ellen H., 400 Convent Av., Dec. 28, aged 92. Funeral private.

ZELTMAN.—Edward C., 1,991 Grand Av., Bronx, Dec. 28.

Brooklyn.

BENDER.—Emilie, 1,088 Jamaica Av., Dec. 28, aged 17.

CLARK.—Thomas, 184 Bond St., Dec. 27, aged 38.

COX.—Helena, 2 Hudson Place, Dec. 27. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

DEMILL.—Richard H., 553 Quincy St., Dec. 27, aged 72.

FANNING.—James M., 1,075 71st St., Dec. 28. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

FINIGAN.—William, Long Island State Hospital, Dec. 28. Funeral to-day, 2:30 P. M.

GRIMMEL.—Nanette, 691 Sterling Place, Dec. 28, aged 70. Funeral to-day.

HANCOCK.—Grace W., Prospect Heights Hospital, Dec. 28. Funeral private.

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HOFFMAN.—Charles H., 726 Halsey St., Dec. 28. Funeral notice later.

HUTCHINGS.—Earl H., 321 Jay St., Dec. 28. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

JACOBS.—Jennie, 229 High St., Dec. 27. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

JIMENEZ.—Ysabel S., 4,805 Fort Hamilton Av., Dec. 28. Funeral private.

KUMMER.—William, 286 Kosciusko St., Dec. 27, aged 66. Funeral to-day.

McELWEE.—J. Frank, 1,228 56th St., Dec. 28. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

REID.—James, Williamsburg Hospital, Dec. 28, aged 39. Funeral to-morrow, 10 A. M.

ROSS.—Mathew F., Jr., 942 Putnam Av., Dec. 28, aged 17. Funeral to-morrow, 2 P. M.

SEELIG.—Johanna, 270 Ellery St., Dec. 28, aged 69. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

SMITH.—Harriet, 253 Flatbush Av., Dec. 28. Funeral notice later.

WATERBURY.—Edward P., 372 Putnam Av., Dec. 27.

Jersey City.

CUDDY.—Carrie C., 300 Montgomery St., Dec. 28. Funeral service to-morrow.

Long Island.

EHLER.—John, 99 Elm St., Astoria, Dec. 27, aged 52. Funeral to-day, 1 P. M.

GLOVER.—William H. H., Southold, Dec. 27, aged 82. Funeral private.

KENNY.—Ellen K., West Islip, Dec. 27, aged 85.

McHUGH.—Michael J., Central Islip, Dec. 28. Funeral to-day, 10 A. M.

Westchester County.

GERRY.—Allston, Pelham Manor, Dec. 28. Funeral service to-day.

GOLDSMITH.—Rhoda L., New Rochelle, Dec. 28. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

In Memoriam.

WOOD.—In loving memory of Blanche Evelyn Wood, died Dec. 30, 1911.

BECKER.—Frederick W., mass St. Jerome's Church, to-morrow, 8 A. M.

GREENE.—Patrick J., in memory of; died Dec. 31, 1911.

HARTIGAN.—Margaret, in memory of; died Dec. 3, 1911.

HASTINGS.—Mary P., mass St. Agnes's Church, to-morrow, 9 A. M.

HILL—QUINN.—Katherine, in memory of; died Dec. 31, 1910.

LESSER.—Blanche, unveiling monument, Mount Hope Cemetery, Jan. 5, 3 P. M.

LEVY.—Henry, in memory of; died Dec. 31, 1910.

LOEB.—Felix, in memory of; died Dec. 30, 1910.

MURRAY.—Patrick, in memory of; died Dec. 30, 1911.

SULLIVAN.—Susan, mass St. Vincent Ferrer's Church, to-day, 10 A. M.

WALLACH.—Meyer J., unveiling monument, Mount Neboh Cemetery, Jan. 5, 3 P. M.

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RULES OF A. A. U. ARE DESIRED

National Collegiate A. A. Wants I. A. A. A. A. to Have Uniform Code.

The members of the Track Committee of the National Collegiate Athletic Association, composed of Dr. William A. Lambeth, University of Virginia; Prof. F. W. Marvel, Brown University, and Frank Castleman of the University of Colorado, will hold a conference this afternoon with Gustavus T. Kirby, President of the Amateur Athletic Union, with the purpose of concurring on a standard set of rules to govern track and field sport throughout the United States.

It is not known just what the committee will have to offer in the way of improvements to the code now in use by the Amateur Athletic Union, which is almost identical with that adopted by the Intercollegiate Association of Amateur Athletes of America.

At the last general session of the National Collegiate body, held last week in the Hotel Astor, there was some discussion as to the advisability of the I. A. A. A. A. making its rules in the running broad jump so as to have them similar to those of the A. A. U.

This would warrant the elimination of that part of the I. A. A. A. A. rule which provides "that the ground in front of joist (take-off block) be removed to the depth of not more than one-half inch and the width not more than six inches.

In the Amateur Athletic Union rule the joist is flush with the ground in front of the block, rendering it less dangerous for the contestant. When any part of a competitor's foot is over the scratch line (the outer edge of a joist eight inches wide) it is considered a foul jump. The A. A. U. rule lessens the chances of a jumper overrunning the block and getting part of his foot into the small ditch in front of the block, (as in the I. A. A. A. A. rules,) which, when done, is likely to cause injury.

Alonzo A. Stagg, University of Chicago, who was the former Chairman of the committee which will confer with Mr. Kirby, was unable to be present at the National collegiate conference, but his paper was read by F. W. Merrill of Brown, who pointed out that Stagg's committee had found that the Amateur Athletic Union's code of athletic rules was admirably adaptable to the use of all athletes in all sections of the United States, and the suggestion was made that the N. C. A. A. appoint a committee to confer with the Intercollegiate A. A. A. A. for the purpose of having it make a few minor changes in its rules, so that they might conform with those of the A. A. U.

Stagg's paper further stated that it was absolutely necessary that a uniform set of rules be had, as it had been found when an Eastern college held a set of games with one further west there was usually a contention of some sort or other in regard to the manner of point scoring, &c.

Mr. Kirby is a member of the Advisory Committee of the Intercollegiate A. A. A. A., and it is expected that the N. C. A. A. committtee will get his promise to present the desires of the larger body. James E. Sullivan and others well up in the matter of athletic rules have been conferred with on the subject, while among the many college trainers and directors of sport in the universities generally there is a feeling that the I. A. A. A. A. rules should conform to those in use by the world's greatest athletic organization.

PARKINSON AGAIN A WINNER.

Bradhurst Runner Leads Good Field Over Slow Four-Mile Course.

Twenty runners comprised the field which took part in the regular road race of the Bradhurst Field Club yesterday over the streets of the upper city, starting from the clubhouse, in 126th Street. H. Parkinson of the home club was the winner for the distance of four miles in the good time of 22:17. He was closely pressed by S. Rosenbaum, a clubmate, for the greater part of the journey, and was only enabled to take a decisive lead in the last eighth of a mile, when, in the race home, Parkinson won by about twenty yards.

The course was far from being in ideal condition, being deep with mud for the greater portion of the route, which led down 126th Street to St. Nicholas Avenue, to the viaduct at 155th Street, to Seventh Avenue, to 126th Street, and to the start. There was a constant change of pace among the leaders for the first two miles, with W. Burke of the Union Settlements the most ambitious in this department of the sport. When the field settled down and the real running began, Burke faltered and finished well back in the ruck, three-quarters of a minute behind the winner. The order of finish:

H. Parkinson, Bradhurst F. C.; S. Rosenbaum, Bradhurst F. C.; F. Silberstein, Sheridan A. C.; G. Creed, Salem Crescent A. C.; E. Long, Salem Crescent A. C.; R. Hug, New York Evening High School; W. Burke, Union Settlement A. C.; M. Loeb, Sheridan A. C.; R. Benfield, 22d Regiment A. A.; H. Robinson, Mercury A. C.; M. Callians, Union Settlement A. C.; J. Lynsky, Eymard Lyceum; J. Ravingue, New York Evening High School; R. Brunner, 22d Regiment A. A.; J. Lynch, Union Settlement A. C.; T. Harris, Mercury A. C.; R. Christ, Oakdale A. C.; W. Ring, unattached; C. Hoffman, Oakdale A. C., and T. Maher, Irish Rifles.

Taub First in Pennant Run.

M. Taub, runing unattached, carried off the honors yesterday in the cross-country run of the Pennant A. C., covering the course in 29:15. Owing to the poor condition of the roads the field was not as large as those on the more favorable days, but were all seasoned harriers. After covering the first mile at an easy pace, Taub went out and took up the task of setting pace, and continued in his work until the end. The order of finish:

M. Taub, unattached; H. Frick, Bronx Church house; H. Cannarsa, Bronx Church House; W. Franz, Mohawk A. C.; M. J. Beaudine, Bronx Church House; W. Gross, unattached; W. Hannan, St. Anselm's A. C.; W. Boak, unattached; S. Martin, Pennant A. C.; J. Kearne, Pennant A. C.; H. Nagle, Essex A. C.; E. Pots, Yorkville A. C.; J. Tuley, Pennant A. C.; H. Martin, Pennant A. C.

Dowling First in Paulist Run.

T. Dowling of the Ozanam A. C. was first home yesterday in the cross-country run of the Paulist A. C. The Ozanam athlete covered the course in 23:50, which under the adverse conditions was considered exceptionally good. L. Heydet of St. Bartholomew's Club paced Dowling nearly all the way, but in the final sprint had to be content with second place. The order of finish: T. Dowling, Ozanam A. C.; L. Heydet, St. Bartholomew's Club; P. Hulsebosch, Paulist A. C.; L. Matser, West Harlem A. C.; P. Dunne, Paulist A. C.; P. Coyne, Holy Cross Lyceum; E. McGuiness, Paulist A. C.; G. Mitchell Paulist A. C.; J. Logue, Paulist A. C.; T. Hughes, Paulist A. C.

COLLEGIATE SWIMMERS WIN.

Uptown Schoolboys Defeat Team of Y. M. H. A. by 25 Points to 18.

Swimmers of Collegiate School defeated the team of the Young Men's Hebrew Association yesterday in the association's tank in a five-event series by the score of 25 to 18. The 115-yard relay race, with teams of four from each organisation as contestants, was the most keenly contested event of the afternoon, being won by a touch by the Collegiate lads and mainly through the speed of N. Kohn, who just nosed out A. Gilbert of the home team, in the good time of 1 minute 6 4-5 seconds.

Kohn later on showed that he was possessed of swimming ability of no mean order when he won the 220-yard race in 3:13, and the 50-yard event, which he as easily won from Gilbert in 27 2-5 seconds. The summary:

115-Yard Relay Race.—Won by Collegiate team made up of A. A. Cramer, J. Lackenbrook, M. Lahm, and N. Kohn; Young Men's Hebrew Association team made up of J. Otto, M. Waldman, H. Delsches, and A. Gilbert, second. Time—1:06 4-5.

220-Yard Swim.—Won by N. Kohn, Collegiate; M. Feinberg, Y. M. H. A., second; J. Otto, Y. M. H. A., third. Time—3:13.

100-Yard Swim.—Won by M. Waldman, Y. M. H. A.; J. Lackenbrook, Collegiate, second; W. Cramer, Collegiate, third. Time—1:17 1-5.

50-Yard Swim.—Won by N. Kohn, Collegiate; A. Gilbert, Y. M. H. A., second; H. Delsches, Y. M. H. A., third. Time—0:27 2-5.

Plunge for Distance.—Won by A. J. Klein, Y. M. H. A., with 43 feet; H. Mayer, Y. M. H. A., second, with 40 feet.

NOVICE RUNNER WINS.

Morrisey Leads Large Pack of Harriers Home in Morningside Run.

Daniel Morrisey, a novice hill and daler, of the Morningside A. C., yesterday sprung a surprise on a large pack of seasoned harriers when he romped home the winner of his club's weekly cross-country run. The chase was a good test for even the older runners, as the roads in places were covered with soft snow and mud, making the going hard.

J. Horton of the New York A. C. started off by setting the pace for the pack, with Charlie McCann and Nelson close up to him. At the turn in the third mile Morrisey had worked up from the rear, and finally took command. He retained his position until the finish line was reached, winning by a comfortable margin. Nelson and Horton put up a spirited battle for second honors, the Morningside A. C. Captain only passing the Mercury-footer on the last block. The order of finish:

Daniel Morrisey, Morningside A. C.; Oscar Nelson, Morningside A. C.; W. J. Horton, New York A. C.; Charles McCann, Morningside A. C.; J. Maier, Morningside A. C.; H. Lucas, Morningside A. C.; S. Reichard, Trinity A. C.; F. Harris, Trojan A. C.; J. O. Meara, unattached; J. Manning, Morningside A. C.; M. Pouth, Morningside A. C.; A. Long, Fleetfoot A. C.; T. Steimle, Morningside A. C.; C. Stein, Morningside A. C.; W. Gover, Morningside A. C.; A. Rosander, Morningside A. C.; E. Nickerson, Yonkers A. A.; J. Hayes, Ozanam A. A.; P. Donnelly, Millrose A. A.; S. Thorner, unattached; H. Burns, unattached; A. Franklin, Harlem C. H. S.; D. Monaco, Ozanam A. A.; E. Fitzpatrick, Morningside A. C.; M. Garron, Morningside A. C.

Bronxdale A. C. Road Races.

H. Honahan, unattached, and H. Milligan of the home club, carried off the honors yesterday in the double hill-and-dale chase of the Bronxdale A. C. Honahan won the open five-mile scratch run and Milligan accounted for the honors of the members' handicap run. In the latter event, which was over a course of three and one-half miles, gold, silver, and bronze medals were awarded to the first three to finish.

Milligan started with a handicap of 1:30, his time for the course being 22:45. A. Canmeyer, with an allowance of 0:45, was second, and J. Klatt, the scratch man, was third. Klatt, starting from the mark of honor, covered the three and one-half miles in 23:40.

In the open five-mile run Honahan finished at the tape with a good margin over his nearest opponent, S. Schmidt of the Mott Havens, who was forty seconds behind the winner. The order of finish:

Five-Mile Run, (Open.)—H. Honahan, unattached; S. Schmidt, Mott Haven A. C.; R. Sehing, Mott Haven A. C.; J. Long, Holy Cross Lyceum; G. Crosby, Bronx Church House; V. Vosen, Bronx Church House; F. Breidenbach, Bronxdale A. C.; S. Lewis, Mott Haven A. C.; P. Gries, unattached; J. Burns, Mott Haven A. C.

Three-and-One-Half-Mile-Handicap Run, for Members.—H. Milligan, A. Canmeyer, J. Klatt, R. Smith, R. Duffy, J. Kerns.

Ice and Snow for Runners.

Over a course covered with ice and snow, William Galvin, unattached, won the weekly cross-country run of the St. Anselm's Athletic Club in the fast time of 16:50 yesterday. The contestants were sent on their journey by George Chalmers, the Philadelphia National League pitcher, and were soon strung out over a long distance, Galvin, always in front, won by a couple of hundred yards from William Rozette, Irish-American A. C., with W. Barry, Holy Cross Lyceum, third. The order of finish: William Galvin, unattached; William Rozette, Irish-American A. C.; W. Barry, Holy Cross Lyceum; R. Brand, St. Anselm's A. C.; H. Darby, St. Anselm's A. C.; W. Cleary, Glencoe A. C.; C. Gray, Glencoe A. C.; H. Pett, Glencoe A. C.; W. Barrett, Tamarora Club; G. Dittmar, St. Anselm's A. C.; H. Ames, unattached; I. Tanney, Holy Cross Lyceum; H. Shanley, Presentation Club; T. Butler, Tamarora Club; W. Ryan, Tinton A. C.; M. Farrell, unattached and J. Ryan, West Harlem A. C.

Many Walk to Coney Island.

Members of the Walkers' Club of America had their final walk of the year yesterday, when a good-sized squad covered the distance from the City Hall to Coney Island in two hours. The pedestrians were handicapped by poor roads, but led by J. H. Hocking they made excellent time under the unfavorable conditions. The walk was a good tryout for the annual event, which will be held over the same route on Sunday, in which all members finishing will receive a club medal.

Motor Boat for Missionary.

A missionary motor boat named the Herald has just been completed by the builders and will be on exhibition at the coming Motor Boat Show at Madison Square Garden. The boat will be used by the Rev. Guido Grossman, among the Nicaraguan Indians. It is 19 feet long and 4 feet 10 inches beam, with an engine of five horse power. Preparations for the show are rapidly progressing, and the show committee is making elaborate plans for the decoration of the Garden for the affair.

AMONG THE LOCAL OARSMEN.

The first games in the Harlem Navy handball tournament will be played next Sunday morning. Teams from the Union Boat Club will play on the Hudson Boat Club court, the Metropolitan on the Lone Star court, and Nonpareil on the Nassau court. Much interest is being displayed by the officers of the various rowing organizations entered in the coming tourney. New York oarsmen have been hampered in all their activities to a considerable degree during the last few years, because of the destruction by fire of the Macomb's Dam row of clubhouses. This year, however, has seen the rebuilding of the Nassau and Metropolitan clubhouses, with outdoor handball courts adjoining. Outdoor courts will be an innovation for an interclub tournament.

The following have been elected by the New Rochelle Rowing Club to serve during 1913: President, Carl T. Kuchler; Vice President, M. J. Flynn; Treasurer, William Bloom; Secretary, Edward D. Baker; Captain, Benjamin B. Badeau; First Lieutenant, Frank Giffing; Second Lieutenant, M. J. Wild.

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New Limit System of U. S. G. A. Has Improved National Tournament Play.

The difficulty of handling the increasing number of entries for the National amateur golf championship has made it necessary for the United States Golf Association to adopt a system of handicapping whereby the handling of the tournaments could, in a measure, be simplified. The steady growth of the game brought with it a number of aspiring contestants whose playing abilities did not qualify them for serious consideration in the championship tournament. No effort was made by the officials of the National Association to discourage young players, but the situation became so acute that in order to handle the tournament properly it was necessary to limit the participants to those whose record on the links entitled them to play in first-class company.

Two years ago 217 entries were received for the amateur championship tournament at the Brookline Country Club, near Boston, but more than half of the contestants were below championship calibre, and could not come within striking distance of the first fifty players. The tournament was carried through to a completion, but the many difficulties that beset the officials made it imperative that drastic methods were necessary to prevent a repetition in the following year, with the result that all clubs enjoying membership in the National Golf Association, were requested to confine their entries for the amateur championship to those players who really were possible winners. Notwithstanding this notice the committee received 186 entries, which, although slightly below the number of the preceding year, made it a burden to players and officers of the association.

As a result of the failure to accomplish their object by appealing to club Secretaries it became necessary to adopt another method for the actual protection of the game. It was decided to create a handicap list of players belonging to clubs in the association who were really entitled to play for the championship. The adoption of a National handicap list somewhat similar to that of the Polo Association was a serious proposition, but the efforts of the Handicap Committee was finally rewarded with a list of 471 golfers in the United States who were rated at six strokes or under.

In order to be perfectly just in the selection of players for the amateur championship any golfer belonging to the National association had the privilege of having his name enrolled on the National list providing he turned in a card of three scores made on a recognized golf course attested by the Secretary of the club thirty days before the date set for the amateur championship. The question of whether the golfer was of championship calibre was determined by the Executive Committee of the association. As a result of this action the field for the last amateur championship tournament at Chicago included eighty-six competitors, practically all of whom were championship contenders. With few exceptions the entry list included every high-class golfer in the United States, and the tournament was conducted without the least inconvenience to any contestant.

The continued improvement of some players and the falling off of others makes it necessary to revise the National handicap list every year. In this respect Secretary Robert C. Watson of the U. S. G. A. has experienced considerable difficulty, as it is necessary to have the support of every club in the association. The tabulation of more than 35,000 players is a matter of tedious detail and labor, but through neglect or for some unknown reason sixty-six clubs out of a membership of 335 have failed to send in official handicap lists.

It is pointed out by the officials of the National association that this is unfair to playing members who are aspirants for the 1913 championship, as the failure of the Secretary of any club to send in the handicap list works hardship on the members of the club, as their names will be included on the handicap list.

Secretary Watson is anxious to complete the list before he assumes the duties of President of the association at the annual meeting in this city on Jan. 11, and has urged all club Secretaries to send in their lists before that date.

GOLF "PROS" GO ABROAD.

Mostly with the Idea of Discovering New Things for American Links.

Those golf professionals who have not gone South for the Winter are either busy getting things in shape for another season or have taken the opportunity to visit the other side, and there are quite a few in the latter class. The latest to sail were Isaac Mackie of Fox Hill and Tom Anderson, the veteran "pro" of the Montclair Golf Club. Anderson came to America nearly ten years ago, after having been the greenkeeper at North Berwick, Scotland, for eighteen years. Both Anderson and Mackie will return about March 1.

Willie Tucker of Ardsley was another who recently set sail for Europe. He will visit such well known links as Prestwick, Carnoustie, Troon, Sandwich, and historic St. Andrews. Tucker makes a specialty of the development of turf on golf courses, paying particular attention to the seeds and the nurture of the grass. He expresses the opinion that the majority of the American links have inferior turf, as compared with some of the British courses, due to the fact that many of the greenkeepers go about their work the wrong way. Of course, a great deal depends upon the soil, for Long Island might be productive of different results than New Jersey, while Westchester County might be different from either. Each, therefore, requires study and special treatment. The ideal grasses, he says, are those which are deep in root, with comparatively little growth above ground.

Two professionals who are now at St. Andrews, Scotland, and are well known in this country, are George Braid, formerly at Midlothian, and Lawrence Auchterlonie, who had charge of the Glen View green for twelve years.

ANNUAL CURLING MATCHES.

All That is Needed for "The Roarin' Game" Now is Ice.

The Grand National Curling Club of America has issued its programme for the annual medal matches to be contested in 1913. The schedule provides for nine medal matches and six district medal matches. All the dates set for competition of the various medal matches are made contingent on weather conditions. The nine medal matches will consist of games of seventeen heads, and all members of affiliated clubs are eligible to enter.

The season is slated to begin and close at Van Cortlandt Park, and the majority of intervening events will also take place on the New York rink. The most important match of the entire season will be the Utica Cup match for the cup donated by the Utica Curling Club for the encouragement of curling in the vicinity of New York. For the purpose of carrying out that intention the Grand National Curling Club, in addition to affiliated clubs, invites entries from clubs devoted to outdoor Winter sports for the match. The dates for the playing of the matches are as follows:

North versus South of Scotland match for Dalrymple Medal and other trophies, at Van Cortlandt Park, Jan. 1, 1 P. M. If no ice, will be played on Saturday, Jan. 4.

Champion club match for Mitchell Medal, at Schenectady during the week beginning Jan. 13. W. L. R. Emmet, umpire.

W. Fred Allen Memorial Medal match, at Utica, on day following finish of Mitchell Medal match. Utica Club, umpire.

Champion rink match for Gordon Medal, at Van Cortlandt Park, Wednesday, Jan. 22, 10 A. M. H. Archibald, umpire. Souvenir medals to the winning rink.

Scots versus other nationalities wherever played, Jan. 13 to 27. Scores to be sent to Grand National Secretary by Feb. 8.

Inter-State match, New York versus New Jersey, for medal presented by John L. Hamilton, at time and place arranged by Grand National officers.

Scots versus Americans, for the John Patterson Medal, at Van Cortlandt Park, Saturday, Jan. 25, at 1 P. M. James F. Conley, umpire.

International match, for Gordon Medal, at Boston, Friday and Saturday, Feb. 7 and 8. The following clubs will compete: Jersey City, Boston, Mohawk, Brookline-Brae-Burn, Utica, Thistle, Caledonian, St. Andrews, and Yonkers. Nine rinks a side.

Utica cup match, at Van Cortlandt Park, Wednesday, Feb. 12, 10 A. M. James F. Conley, umpire. This match is open to clubs other than curling clubs in the vicinity of New York devoted to outdoor sports.

District Medal Matches, 1913.—St. Andrews versus Boston, Yonkers versus Utica, Brookline versus Brae-Burn, Caledonian versus Mohawk, Jersey City versus Thistle, and Tuxedo versus Saegkill.

NEW SOCCER CHAMPIONS.

St. Leo Team of St. Louis Defeats West Hudsons for Title.

Special to The New York Times.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 29.—The St. Leo team of the St. Louis Soccer Association today annexed the American professional soccer championship by defeating the West Hudson team of Harrison, N. J., 4 to 2. The Jerseyites won the title last year. To-day's game, the last of the series, was played on a slippery field and in a drizzling rain.

Capt. Lennox kicked both goals for the New Jersey team. The first was scored in the first half on a penalty kick, the other just a moment before the final whistle in the second half. The West Hudson men played a better game individually, but St. Leo's team work was superior. The locals scored three of their goals in the first half and got another in the last period, when Kettles knocked the ball through his own goal. Monahan, Peterson, and Donahue excelled for the home team. The line-up:

West Hudson.	Position.	St. Leo.
Lickley	Guard	Sheahan
Kettles	Left back	Abstein
Wilson	Right back	Flynn
Lawson	Left half	Miller
Lennox (Capt.)	Centre half	Peterson
McKay	Right half	McCarthy
Cooper	Outer left	Monahan
Adamson	Inner left	Tallman
Richardson	Centre right	Brannigan (Capt.)
Elliott	Inner right	McCormack
Fachie	Outer right	Donahue

Goals—Monahan, Peterson, Donahue, Kettles, Lennox, (2.) Time of halves—Forty-five minutes. Referee—Paul McSweeney.

SLATE'S SOCCER RECORD.

Albion Player Scores 10 Goals in Game Against Hibernians.

Ralph Slate, a member of the Albion Soccer Football Club, established a new American record yesterday, when he shot ten goals in an association football game. The contest was a Metropolitan League championship fixture, and was played at Chelsea Park, with the Hibernians of Jersey City as the Albions' opponents.

The former American record was held by R. Glover, formerly a member of the Glasgow Celtics, who ran up a total of nine goals last year when playing for the New York Celtics. The Hibernians were completely outclassed, and, while the Albions were rolling up fourteen goals, the Hibernians failed to find their opponents' net. The winners scored four goals in the first half and ten in their second, the final score being 14 to 0.

Slate started his assault on the Hibernian citadel shortly after the whistle blew, and tallied four times before the end of the first half. In the second half Slate secured the ball in midfield several times, and worked it through the opposing side for goals, while he was well supported in his efforts by the forwards of the Albion team.

Big Basket Ball Score.

The Brooklyn Branch Young Men's Hebrew Association basket ball team, after four victories got the worst beating in the association's basket ball tournament yesterday when they were defeated by the Ninety-second Street branch on the latter's court, by the overwhelming score of 47 to 9. The feature of the game was the strong guarding of the home players, who kept their opponents from tallying a single goal from the field.

Rubin at left forward for the Manhattanites put up a great game, shooting eight goals from the field and three from fouls. The line-up:

92d St. Branch.	Position.	Brooklyn Branch.
Rubin	Left forward	Malbin
Glasel, Brissel	Right forward	Wagner
Joseph, Rosenthal	Centre	Ascher
Taub	Left guard	Zeits, Rubenstein.
Keller	Right guard	Astroff

Goals from field—Rubin, 8; Joseph, 4; Keller, 4; Glasel, 3; Taub and Brissel. Goals from fouls—Malbin, 9; Rubin, 3; Brissel, 2. Time of halves—Fifteen minutes. Referee—Mr. Harris.

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CONCERT AFTERNOON AND EVENING

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HOCKEY LEAGUE SEASON AT HAND

McGill-Ottawa Match This Week the Last of Preliminary Games.

The last of the special matches preliminary to the Amateur Hockey League season will be played at St. Nicholas Rink Saturday night, when the McGill College team of Montreal will play the Ottawa University seven. Considering both the ability and the rivalry of the two teams, this match stands out as the most important of the preliminary contests, and should be productive of some fine hockey. The two teams are said to be the best in the Canadian Intercollegiate League, McGill reigning supreme in Quebec, and Ottawa holding a similar place in Ontario. This is the first time that two college teams of such strength have come from the Dominion to the local rink and much pressure had to be exerted before Faculty objections could be overcome. The McGill team is practically the same as that which defeated the Crescents here a year ago.

Three nights after the collegians settle their differences the Amateur League season will be started on its way with a game between the Hockey Club and the St. Nicholas sevens. With only four teams in the race and all more evenly matched than has been the case in recent years, the 1913 race promises to furnish more excitement than ever before. Close followers of the game, who have watched the rival teams in their preliminary practice, are much divided in their forecasts. Even the Hockey Club team, which has been a consistent last for years, has been so well strengthened by former New York A. C. players that it is regarded as a real contender.

The St. Nicholas team, which will figure in the opening game against the Hockey Club seven, is better equipped with good individual players than any of its rivals. Besides its corps of veteran stars this club has gathered several former college stars who will try for places on the team. Peabody, formerly of the New York A. C. team, will be with the St. Nicks, together with Chew, Stanley, Morgan, Cox, Von Bernuth, and Ellis, a new Canadian player.

The Irish-American A. C., barring the services of one good man on the forward line, is as well equipped with players as any other team in the league. The team has been practicing hard for its opening game against the Crescents, and it promises to cause considerable trouble for the other teams throughout the season.

The Crescents have been unfortunate in again losing the services of a star player before the season opens. Last season it was Dufresne, the sturdy little cover point, who injured his knee so badly in the opening game of the season that he could not play for several weeks. This year the team will have to go several weeks without the services of Brown, who fell on one of his teammate's skates Saturday night and opened a wound an inch long in the calf of his leg. It required four stitches to close the wound. With Dufresne available, however, the defense will not be weakened as much as it was at the beginning of last season.

The St. Michaels of Canada, who made such a strong impression here two years ago, may be seen here later in the season in a game against the Princeton team. The St. Michaels offered their services for a game in January, and the Princeton management did its best to accept, but found it impossible, owing to the midwinter exams.

Wants Real Ball Player for Coach.

The Athletic Association of the East Orange High School has set its heart on having a professional baseball coach for the school team next year, to take the place of Charles Clark, who coached the nine last season. They will endeavor to get the consent of the Faculty and the Board of Education to their ambitious project.

The East Orange team wants to make a better showing at the game than it ever did before and to do just as well with the horsehide as it did in the Fall with the pigskin, winning what is practically the scholastic championship of the East. It will open its season on April 5 in a game with the Morris High School of New York, which defeated the Jersey boys last year. The schedule besides calls for games as follows:

April 12, Commerce High School; April 18, Barringer High School of Newark; April 25, Stevens School, Hoboken; April 30, Paterson High School; May 2, Montclair High School; May 7, Barringer High School; May 14, Central High School; May 16, Stevens School; May 23, Montclair High School.

Marty O'Toole Married.

Special to The New York Times.

FRAMINGHAM, Mass., Dec. 29.—Martin J. O'Toole of this city, famous in baseball circles as the $22,500 pitcher of the Pittsburgh Pirates, was married to-day at Saxonville, a nearby town, to Miss Rose Heffernan of that place. Following a honeymoon trip to Bermuda, Mr. and Mrs. O'Toole will reside in Boston until March, when Marty will join the Pirates for the training trip to Hot Springs, Ark.

Chess Tournament Leaders.

Oscar Chajes of Chicago, who has announced his entry in the forthcoming National chess tournament to be opened in this city on Jan. 19, is leading in the championship tournament at the Progressive Chess Club, with a score of 4½ to ½, having played right up to his schedule. Charles Jaffe is placed next, the latter's victory over J. H. Stapfer, the Jersey State champion, in a game lasting eighty moves, being the feature of yesterday's play in the fourth round. A. Kupchik is third. The scores:

Players.	Won.	Lost.	Players.	Won.	Lost.
Chajes	4½	½	Keidanz	1	2
Jaffe	2½	1½	Stapfer	1	3
Kupchik	2	1	Kline	½	1½
Greenberg	2	2	Tenenwurzel	½	1½
Clark	1	1	Putzman	0	1

Two rounds have been completed in the championship tournament of the Rice Chess Club and some have played an extra round. Otto Roething and S. Rubinstein head the list, neither having met with defeat so far. The scores:

Players.	Won.	Lost.	Players.	Won.	Lost.
Roething	2	0	Grommer	1	1
Rubinstein	2	0	Tennenwurzel	1	1
Freundlich	2	1	Hirsch	0	2
Turover	2	1	Wahrburg	0	2
Rosenthal	2	1	Altman	0	3

In the pending handicap tournament of the Rice Chess Club the leading scores are: Zuckerholz, 9 to 3; Schoenbaum, 8½ to 2½; April, 6½ to 4½; Meyer, 5½ to 1½; Loewit, 5 to 2; Kemp, 7 to 1; Campbell, 4½ to 5½; Radin, 4 to 3.

QUIET WEEK IN BOXING.

No Important Bouts Arranged by Any of New York's Leading Clubs.

With no important bouts scheduled at any of the larger clubs of the city, unusual quiet will prevail in local boxing circles for the next few days. No more bouts will be staged at Madison Square Garden for several weeks, and neither the Fairmont nor Empire A. C. has arranged for a big card this week. The Forty-fourth Street Sporting Club will put on a popular-priced show, in which novices and preliminary boxers will predominate.

What looks like the best bout of the week is carded for to-night at the Olympic A. C. of Harlem between Johnny Dundee, the local aspirant for the featherweight title, and Eddie Kelly of Harlem. The latter usually boxes in the lightweight division, but he has agreed to make 128 pounds for Dundee. Both boys are good boxers, with plenty of strength, and should furnish an interesting bout. Joe Rivers, the Mexican lightweight, will be one of Dundee's seconds.

On New Year's afternoon Jimmy Flynn and Packey Hommey will come together in the star bout at the Forty-fourth Street Sporting Club. The remainder of the programme calls for almost 100 rounds of boxing between preliminary boxers and novices. The bouts are divided into four, six, and ten rounds.

Joe Jeannette will get busy again Wednesday afternoon with Battling Jim Johnson, whom he has previously defeated on three occasions. This bout will be put on at the Irving A. C. of Brooklyn.

Young Mike Donovan, recent conqueror of Young Hickey, will oppose Young Eastman in the main bout of a special show at the Olympic A. C. on Wednesday afternoon.

At the New Polo A. A. Friday night Frankie Fleming of Canada and Willie Chandler of the Boys' Club will be the headliners. Harry Braun and Young Libby will be the opponents in the ten-round semi-final.

LARCHMONT Y. C. SHOOT.

D. J. McMahon Wins the High Gun Event with 133 Out of 150.

The mild weather of yesterday was responsible for bringing out the biggest muster of gunners so far this season at the Larchmont Yacht Club. Twenty-four men, firing in squads of five, faced the two sets of traps, and, the conditions being favorable, some high scores were returned in the ten matches that were decided. On account of several ties, shoot-offs were required to determine the winners.

Ralph L. Spotts carried off the Monthly Cup, for which twenty-four shot yesterday. He had won two previous legs for it, and yesterday he returned a score of 20, shooting from scratch. For the first time this season he failed to reach the top score in the "high-gun" shoot. This was won by D. J. McMahon, with 133 targets broken out of his 150. Dr. L. Culver was second, with 130.

The special trophy for the month was won by T. Lenane, who had previously won two legs. Yesterday's match for this prize was won by T. J. McCahill, with a full score of 25, M. K. Waters being the runner-up, with 23 as his score. The Visitors' Trophy was won by A. L. Burns, with a full score of 25, and A. W. Whiting carried off the 100-target handicap prize with the good score of 97, W. B. Ogden being the runner-up with 96. Whiting was also the winner of the first Take-Home Trophy at 25 targets. With a handicap of 4, he shot a full score. The second Take-Home Trophy was captured by Dr. L. Culver with a full score. D. J. McMahon was the winner of the leg for the Accumulation Cup, and McCahill carried off the 15-target scratch prize, T. Lenane winning the 10-target scratch contest.

Chicken Show Starts To-Morrow.

Workmen put in overtime yesterday in shaping Madison Square Garden with poultry coops and pigeon lofts for the annual exhibition of the New York Poultry, Pigeon, and Pet Stock Association which begins to-morrow. The judging will begin promptly at 9 o'clock, and last throughout the week. There will also be a continuous show of canaries and song birds in the Concert Hall, and on Friday and Saturday the annual show of the Cat Club will be held.

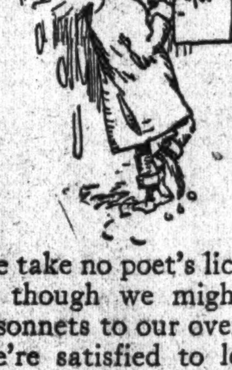
HONOR YIDDISH WRITER.

Societies Celebrate 25th Anniversary of Zhitlowsky's Activities.

A public reception in honor of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the literary activities of Dr. Charles Zhitlowsky, editor of "Das Neue Leben," a literary and scientific Yiddish monthly, and the author of the only history of philosophy published in the Yiddish language, was given at Carnegie Hall last night by representatives of various downtown literary circles and Jewish nationalistic organizations.

Dr. Zhitlowsky was one of the leaders of the Socialist Revolutionist Party in Russia, and first came to this country as its representative to obtain funds for the Russian revolution. He has lectured here and in other cities of the country on social problems and various phases of Jewish philosophy.

Dr. Zhitlowsky was greeted at the reception last night by Dr. Nathan Syrkin, in behalf of the Socialist Territorialists; Bernard Zuckerman, in behalf of the Socialist Zionists, and by other representatives of other Jewish organizations. Readings from some of Dr. Zhitlowsky's works were given by Rudolph Schildkraut, the actor, and Efram Zimbalist played several musical selections.



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The conditions which prevailed in the wheat market at the end of the year do not give any clear indication of what may be expected during the balance of the Winter. Trade is slow in futures, and the market is in this respect a very limited one. The business in cash wheat is large, from the fact that the immense weekly receipts are distributed in either the domestic trade or for export, and so far the receipts, which have been fully 93,000,000 bushels more than last year, since the opening of the new-crop movement have not brought any overburdening visible supply accumulation. In fact, the visible supply is slightly less than a year ago.

The trade has been looking for some falling off in the Northwestern movement. The receipts at Minneapolis and Duluth since the beginning of the new Spring wheat movement have amounted to 137,000,000 bushels. The interior mills have ground heavily, and as a result a very large part of the immense crop in the three Spring wheat States has been merchandized in one form or another. Notwithstanding this, the Northwest continues to pour wheat into the terminal markets. It is quite a question in the minds of many whether this movement will shortly become so burdensome as to force liquidation in the American Northwest or whether the distribution is to continue both for domestic and export account.

The exports of American wheats from east of the Rocky Mountains up to Nov. 1 was about 53,000,000 bushels of wheat and flour. The exports up to Jan. 1 will probably take care of about 65,000,000 bushels all told, while the surplus, according to the Government crop figures, east of the Rockies for export is only about 75,000,000 bushels. If by any chance the Government figures of crop production were overstated, the situation might become quite acute before the end of the crop year. With, however, the big visible supply and the enormous movement, it is rather difficult to create any material buying confidence on such a theory.

There has been a little buying during the week on reports of dry weather in the Winter wheat States, but such reports have been looked upon as premature and not necessarily a serious factor in the ultimate production of Winter wheat. The conditions are in the main favorable for Winter wheat, as shown by the Government report. The condition was so high, however, that any change in the crop condition is likely to be toward a lowering of the promise.

The export demand is good for wheat, particularly of Manitoba varieties. This demand has recently been so good that a number of cargoes at Buffalo carrying free storage until April have been ordered unloaded and shipped out on account of this good buying. It is also stated that exporters are paying full rail prices in order to get Manitoba wheat forward for business later in the Winter. The conditions surrounding the export trade, it is believed, will be much safer as a result of the recent organization of the association of all the North American Export Exchanges for the purpose of making uniform the rules, regulations and terms on which export business is to be done. The methods heretofore used have been those which have grown with the trade, and many conditions crept in which have resulted in serious losses. The plan of the association is to make uniform conditions and safeguard the export business.

In connection with the active export business in Manitoba wheat the starting of the new contract market in Manitoba futures in New York on Jan. 2 is attracting widespread interest. The rules adopted provide for the delivery of the same grades of wheat as are deliverable at Winnipeg and at the same premiums and discount. The intention of the trade is to provide a safe seaboard market in which receivers can hedge grain coming forward from the West and exporters hedge on the export movement. There are 100,000,000 bushels of Manitoba wheat which will probably move for export this year and a market which would safeguard the trade and minimize losses would be of immense benefit in the merchandizing of the crop.

Foreign markets continue to buy freely. As the season advances it seems to be more and more clear that the damage to the European wheat was more serious than reported at first. Europe has had to buy great quantities of dry wheat as shown by the absorption of 75,000,000 bushels more of wheat than last year since the opening of the crop year and the steady demand from week to week. The Argentine news included the official estimate of the crop. The official figures placed the crop this season at 198,400,000 bushels against 170,824,000 bushels last year, and the export surplus is placed at 134,000,000 bushels against 100,000,000 bushels for the year just ending. The new wheat is said to be of good quality, which is a great contrast to last year, when the crop was seriously damaged by rains during harvest.

CORN.

The action of the corn market during the week suggested selling pressure as a result of the movement. The immense crop is beginning to influence the receipts very materially. Notwithstanding the holiday, the interior receipts for the week were 1,000,000 bushels larger than the preceding week and over 5,500,000 bushels in excess of the corresponding week last year. The interior shipments increased only 1,000,000 bushels compared with last year, while the exports from Atlantic ports were less than last year. The indications from the enormous receipts and limited shipments from the interior naturally are for an important increase in stocks. The previous week, however, with very large receipts, the visible supply increased but slightly more than a year ago. Opinions as to the effect of the movement on values seem to be much divided. Some of the best and shrewdest operators are inclined to look for pressure on the contract market as a result of the movement, but yet are rather confidently suggesting buying on a scale down. It is pointed out that the very high price of live stock compared with the low price of feed stuffs will mean a large consumption of grain on the farm.

At the present price of live stock there is a much greater profit in selling the grain in the shape of live stock than in the shape of grain. According to the Government feeding tests, 10 bushels of corn are considered equal to 100 pounds increase in the live stock weight. Ten bushels of corn at the basis of Chicago prices are worth for No. 3 about 46c, while hogs per pound are worth about 7 to 7¼c, equal to 70 to 72c a bushel for the corn and cattle on the basis of about 75c. corn. After the first rush of new crop movement is over the farm distribution may prove an important factor. In the meantime, it is questionable whether the market can absorb the enormous receipts. The export outlet for corn may also prove to be a very important feature. Europe has taken enormously of Argentine corn, 185,000,000 bushels since May 1, and American corn prices at the seaboard are just about the same as January corn in Buenos Aires.

OATS.

The oats market has been rather heavy, due partly to the reaction in corn and partly to the movement. The receipts increased 900,000 bushels for the week at the interior and were 3,200,000 bushels in excess of last year. Shipments from the interior decreased 200,000 bushels, and there were reports of less active demand for the cash property. The decline was slow, however, as there appeared to be no real pressure on the market. Although the receipts are so heavy, the distribution is taking care of the movement. Since July 1 the interior receipts of oats have been 47,000,000 bushels more than last year, yet the visible supply is less than half of last year. Under these conditions the immense movement is not bringing any pronounced pressure on the market. The Argentine new crop was officially estimated at 122,000,000 bushels, against 64,000,000 bushels a year ago. As the Argentine has exported so far this season 65,000,000 bushels, it is plain that the figures for the past year were understated or there was a big carryover from the previous year. It is evident, however, that the export surplus from the Argentine will be much larger than for the current year.

PROVISIONS.

Dealings in hog products have been on a rather limited scale, with prices showing weakness toward the close of the week. This was due to the increased movement of hogs and predictions of free receipts after the opening of the new year. The movement of hogs was heavy the first part of December, falling off materially the past few weeks, but within few days receipts have materially increased and Western advices pointed to a freer movement later. The situation seems to depend very greatly on the size of the hog movement. Distribution is fair but not active, and the low price for feed stuffs is a great incentive toward stock raising. There is a profit of 20c to 25c a bushel in marketing corn in the shape of live stock, less the expense of the care of the stock and the danger of loss from disease than there is marketing in the shape of corn. The supplies of rough forage are very large this year, and the conditions are excellent for a material increase in the supply of hogs as the season advances. The question of the supply of cattle is a much greater problem owing to the length of time it takes to mature a steer for market. Continued large crops of feed stuffs and low prices are evidently necessary for several years to bring back anything like a normal supply of live stock compared with the increasing needs for consumption.

COTTON.

A diminution in speculation and a lessening of interest in the cotton market during the last week was to be expected with the holiday season on hand. The price list suffered at times, but there was not a great deal of significance attached to the small reaction. An indisposition on the part of leading holders to render effective support seemed to encourage those not in sympathy with the higher level, but at levels approximately ½c per pound from the high point of the movement, the aggressiveness on the part of bears was neither persistent nor determined.

Sentiment is very much confused, and the supply problem is being gradually relegated as a factor with the bulk of attention focused on the probable absorption of a crop generally admitted to be close to 14,250,000 bales. Current gossip indicates that spot interests and their following are to be identified on the bull side of the market, while the West and Wall Street are antagonistic to prevailing values. The South seems well divided.

Most reports suggest, however, that holders of actual cotton at Southern points are not desirous to follow the freer offerings in futures, and this goes a long way in mitigating the effect of many bearish opinions. It is realized that there have been more than 9,000,000 bales of cotton brought into sight thus far this season, which is only slightly less than that brought into sight to this time a year ago when the crop was approximately 2,000,000 bales larger.

Of course, this reflects to a certain extent an active demand in the past which may be responsible for a slower inquiry to be experienced, but on the other hand, relieves the South of a burdensome quantity yet to be marketed. It would seem that, unless there is a material contraction in the volume of spinners' takings, particularly in those of foreigners, the attitude of holders in maintaining quotations will not be essentially changed in the near future. The divergence of expressions at present is as to the shipments for the balance of the season. World's takings of American cotton to date amount to 5,568,000 bales compared with 5,878,000 last year, of which American spinners took 2,606,000 as compared with 2,582,000 in 1911.

A reduction in the export clearances is further foreshadowed by the advices of a slower inquiry for freight room. Then, again, the amount of cotton on shipboard not cleared is under last year, and, according to The Chronicle, there are 311,000 bales awaiting movement, against 359,000 one year ago. Inasmuch, however, as the exports to date are in excess of last season by 50,000 bales, totaling 5,118,000 bales, it is not surprising that there is a reduced movement in prospect, but it remains to be seen whether or not the decrease in exports will be drastic enough to fulfill the hopes of interests not in accord with higher prices; this contingent claiming that the year's shipments will fall more than 1,000,000 bales under last year, when they were approximately 10,600,000 bales.

Consumption by domestic spinners is variously estimated from 5,000,000 bales to over 5,300,000 bales. It is obvious that if trade in this country justifies consumption in excess of last year and results in approximately 5,200,000 bales being used, there can be export clearances of about 9,500,000 bales without causing damaging inroads on the visible supply. Of course, this is on the assumption that this season's outturn amounts to 14,250,000 bales.

There is a disposition to act conservatively in trade sources, and it is apparent that bears are counting on this. More is heard concerning the tariff revision, and also of the ruling price of raw material, which, it is said, will not tend to augment the consumption. Higher money rates also receive consideration. However, domestic mills are believed to be well engaged ahead on a profitable basis, and this results in them maintaining their values with remarkable uniformity.

As a result of the Christmas holidays there has been very little news received to clarify the foreign trade outlook. Some authorities cabled that the influence of the Balkan disturbance is being felt to an important degree, and that countries most interested are suffering from a severe setback in trade activity. The Manchester cables dwell on the firmness of holders, but fresh business is not particularly active. Much is said concerning the enhanced value of silver as affecting the Far East, which it is believed will lead to an increased consumption of cotton there, and which will largely offset the greater production of Egypt and India, as compared with last season.

Weather conditions in the American South are receiving more attention. It is thought that plowing operations, which will be in evidence during January, will be quite active and will progress in a different spirit than a year ago, when there was much dissatisfaction because of the low prices which cotton commanded. An increased acreage is virtually assured, an added incentive being the comparatively low prices for grain. To date, there have been some copious rains, benefiting the soil, even though ginning and marketing of this year's crop was temporarily retarded.

COTTONSEED OIL.

Most authorities identified with the cottonseed oil trade admitted that it was rather difficult to gauge the situation at this time as a result of the holiday season. Nevertheless, there was no disposition to ignore the sagging of values which occurred during the past week in spite of the fact that dealings in the future market were of very limited proportions, while the South and the consuming world were concerned to only a minor degree.

Sentiment seems to have swerved more to the bear side of the market, but the aggrssiveness in this direction is not striking. The pessimistic feeling was fostered by the failure of prices to respond to the firm crude situation recently reported, while the many accounts of seed being held at surprisingly high levels were virtually ignored as a market influence. Unquestionably, an expansion in the consuming trade would have led to Southern conditions exerting more influence, but users of cottonseed oil have not deviated from their hand-to-mouth policy.

Consumers in general are content with their mode of purchasing, and point out that their attitude to date has been advantageous excepting at the outset of the season. Export trade remains limited, while absorption by home interests is not large. The contingent manufacturing compound lard is reporting a slackening in trade, partly due to the downward trend of pure lard at the West. However, the more pessimistic advices are mitigated to a certain extent by the realization that the market is not far from the 6c level, approaching a basis where the lower grades of oil may command more attention.

Then again this inclination of the trade to buy more than small quantities at a time suggests the absence of burdensome stocks on hand. The amount of unsold crude oil at the South, however, is a matter of surmise and is subjected to various opinions, although during the last few weeks holders have displayed more independence than had been anticipated, leading to the assumption that mills were not holding accumulations of note at present. It is possible that large refining concerns absorbed seed more freely than supposed during the forepart of the season, which would partly account for the unwillingness of farmers to relinquish their holdings when concessions are demanded.

Weather in Cotton and Grain States.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—The following is the forecast for Monday and Tuesday, as issued by the United States Weather Bureau for the cotton and grain States:

North Carolina—Rain Monday. Tuesday unsettled; moderate south winds.

South Carolina and Georgia—Rain Monday. Tuesday unsettled. Moderate southeast winds.

Florida—Local rains in north and central, fair in south portion Monday. Tuesday fair; moderate east and southeast winds, except variable over north portion.

Alabama—Rain, followed by clearing Monday. Tuesday fair; moderate variable winds.

Mississippi and Louisiana—Cloudy Monday. Tuesday fair; moderate variable winds.

Eastern Texas—Fair Monday and probably Tuesday; light variable winds, mostly west.

Western Texas—Fair Monday and probably Tuesday.

Utah—Snow or rain Monday and probably Tuesday.

Oklahoma—Fair Monday. Tuesday unsettled.

Arkansas and Missouri—Fair Monday. Tuesday increasing cloudiness, probably followed by rain.

Tennessee and Kentucky—Fair in west portion, followed by clearing in east portions Monday. Tuesday fair.

Ohio—Rain Monday. Tuesday cloudy; moderate south winds.

Indiana—Rain, followed by clearing Monday. Tuesday unsettled; moderate south to west winds.

Illinois—Fair Monday. Tuesday increasing cloudiness, probably followed by rain; moderate west winds, becoming variable.

Lower Michigan—Cloudy Monday, probably preceded by snow in eastern portion. Tuesday unsettled; moderate variable winds.

Upper Michigan—Cloudy Monday, probably snow in eastern portion. Tuesday unsettled.

Wisconsin and Minnesota—Fair Monday. Tuesday increasing cloudiness, probably followed by snow and colder; moderate variable winds.

Iowa—Fair Monday. Tuesday increasing cloudiness, probably followed by snow and colder.

North and South Dakota—Cloudy Monday. Tuesday probably snow and colder.

Nebraska—Fair Monday. Tuesday unsettled and colder, probably snow or rain.

Kansas—Fair Monday. Tuesday unsettled, probably rain or snow.

YEAR'S RANGE IN PUBLIC SECURITIES.

Where no sale occurred in 1912 the last previous price is given.

	Highest.	Lowest.	Last Sale.
Alabama Currency Fund 4s..J. J.	....	....	111 Mar. 20, 190
Louisiana consol. 4s, 1914....J. J.	....	....	99 May 12, 1911
N. Y. H'y Imp. 4s, Mar. 1, 1958...	101½ Oct. 16	100⅛ Jun 11	101 Nov. 18, 1912
N. Y. H'y Imp. 4s, Mar.1,1958,reg.	101 July 26	100 Nov 26	100 Nov. 26, 1912
N. Y. H'y Imp. 4s, Sept. 1, 1958,MS	101¼ Aug. 27	101¼ Aug 27	101¼ Aug. 27, 1912
N. Y. H'y Imp. 4s, Mar. 1, 1960...	....	....	105⅛ Oct. 28, 1910
N. Y. H'y Imp. 4s, Mar.1,1962.M.S.	101¼ Nov 13	100⅛ Sep. 16	101¼ Dec. 5, 1912
N. Y. State 4s, June, 1961....M. S.	102⅞ Jan. 26	100⅜ Sep. 19	101¼ Dec. 14, 1912
N. Y. State 4s, June, 1961, reg....	102 Jan. 8	102 Jan. 8	102 Jan. 8, 1912
N. Y. Canal 4s, July, 1960.....J. J.	102 Apr. 18	100⅛ Sep. 20	100⅝ Oct. 29, 1912
N. Y. Canal 4s, July, 1960, reg....	102 Mar. 19	102 Mar 19	102 Mar. 19, 1912
N. Y. Canal 4s, Jan., 1961.....J. J.	103 Jan. 27	100⅝ Sep. 23	101¼ Nov. 6, 1912
N. Y. Canal 4s, 1961, reg.........	102⅝ Mar. 25	102⅝ Mar 25	102⅝ Mar. 25, 1912
N. Y. Canal 4s, Mar. 1, 1961. M. S.	103 Jan. 25	101⅛ July 6	101¼ Oct. 10, 1912
N. Y. Canal 4s, 1962..............	101¼ Oct. 17	100⅛ Sep. 10	101⅛ Dec. 12, 1912
North Carolina 6s, 1919......A. O.	....	....	114¾ Mar. 28, 1910
North Caro. consol. 4s, 1910..J. J.	....	....	99⅝ Feb. 3, 1909
North Caro. consol. 4s, small.....	....	....	101¼ Apr. 8, 1907
North Caro. special tax......A. O.	....	....	117 Dec. 11, 1903
South Carolina 4½s, 1933.....J. J.	....	....	103½ July 27, 1910
Tennessee Set. 3s, 1913.......J. J.	97¾ Apr. 26	97⅝ Apr 26	97⅝ Dec. 9, 1912
Tennessee Set. 3s, 1913. small.....	....	....	97½ Oct. 6, 1911
Va. def. 6s, Brown Bros. & Co.cfs.	60 Oct. 17	46 Jan. 2	53½ Dec. 26, 1912
Va. fund. debt. 2-3s, 1991.....J. J.	....	....	86½ Dec. 18, 1911
Virginia Riddleberger.............	....	....	90 Dec. 20, 1907
U. S. 2s, 1930, reg.........Q. Jan.	102½ Mar 27	100¾ May 27	101¼ Dec. 27, 1912
U. S. 2s, coupon............J. Jan.	101½ Dec. 27	100⅝ May 23	101½ Dec. 27, 1912
U. S. 4s, 1925, reg..........Q. F.	114⅝ Apr. 10	113¼ Jan. 24	114 Dec. 13, 1912
U. S. 4s, 1925, coupon........Q. F.	114¾ Mar 26	113¼ Jan. 8	113⅝ Dec. 27, 1912
U. S. 3s, 10-20, 1918, coupon..Q. F.	103½ Mar 29	101½ Jan. 8	103 Dec. 10, 1912
U. S. 3s, 10-20, 1918, reg......Q. F.	102¾ Feb. 23	102 Feb. 6	102½ Oct. 22, 1912
U. S. 3s, 10-20, 1918, small.......	102½ Oct. 29	102½ Oct. 29	102½ Oct. 29, 1912
Panama 2s, 1936, reg.........Q. F.	....	....	100½ Jun. 6, 1911
Panama 2s, 1938, reg.....Q. Nov.	....	....	101⅛ Aug. 11, 1910
Panama 3s, 1961, reg..........	102⅝ Mar 21	101⅝ Sep. 9	101⅞ Dec. 4, 1912
Panama 3s, 1961..........Q. Mar.	102½ Mar 25	101⅝ Jan 18	101¾ Dec. 18, 1912
Dist. of Columbia 3-65s, 1925.F. F.	....	....	110 Nov. 28, 1909
Philippine 4s, 1914-1931......Q. F.	....	....	111 May 3, 1906
Ph. Is. p.w.& imp.reg.4s,1935.Q. M.	....	....	108¾ Feb. 26, 1908
Ph. Is. land pur. 4s, 1914-45..Q. F.	....	....	100½ July 14, 1910
Argentine 5s.....................	100 July 22	95½ Oct. 24	96½ Nov. 19, 1912
Imp. Chinese Gov. rcts. full paid for Hukuang Ry. 5 p. c. sterling bonds and interest............	95½ Apr. 17	90 Dec. 11	90½ Dec. 18, 1912
Imp.Jap.Gov.4½s,Feb.15,1925.F. A.	93¾ Feb. 3	89½ Dec. 20	89¾ Dec. 28, 1912
I.Jap.Gov.4½s,2dser.Jy.10,1925.J. J.	93 Feb. 1	89 Nov 27	89 Dec. 16, 1912
Imp. Jap. Gov. 4s, Jan., 1925.F. A.	88⅛ Jan. 29	82 Nov 11	82¼ Dec. 19, 1912
Republic of Cuba 5s..........M.S.	104 July 22	101⅛ Nov. 5	101⅝ Dec. 28, 1912
Republic of Cuba 4½s.........M.S.	99¼ June 18	99 Apr. 6	99 Aug 26, 1912
Sao Paulo (U. S. of B.) 5 p.c., 1919	98¾ July 19	97 Dec. 20	97 Dec. 24, 1912
City of Tokio interim ctfs. for 5s p. c. loan, 1912............M. S.	95 Apr. 10	91⅞ Sep 20	91⅞ Sep. 24, 1912
U. S. of Mexico s. f. 5s......Q. C.	97¼ Jan. 25	95½ Mar 28	95½ Dec. 19, 1912
U. S. of M.4s,Ser.A,Dec.1,1953.J. D.	91 May 29	88 Mar 11	90 Nov 29, 1912

NEW YORK CITY SECURITIES.

	Highest.	Lowest.	Last Sale.
Corp. stock 3½s, 1926.........M. M.	93½ Aug. 26	93½ Aug 26	93½ Aug 26, 1912
Corp. stocks 3½s, 1954.......M. N.	88 Feb. 20	83½ Dec. 20	83½ Dec. 26, 1912
Corp. stock 3½s, 1954, reg...M. N.	87½ Jan. 20	85½ Aug. 1	85⅞ Aug. 14, 1912
Corp. stock 3½s, 1955.......M. N.	....	....	88¼ Nov. 2, 1912
Corp. stock 3½s, 1959............	....	....	90½ June 6, 1911
Corp. stock 4s, reg., 1936...M. N.*	99½ Apr. 19	99 Jan 30	99¼ Apr. 19, 1912
Corp. stock 4s, reg., 1955...M. N.*	99½ Mar. 18	95⅛ Dec. 9	95⅛ Dec. 9, 1912
Corp. stock 4s, reg., 1956...M. N.*	99⅝ Feb. 17	95 Nov 27	95 Dec. 27, 1912
Corp. stock 4s, 1957.........*M. N.	100¼ Feb. 16	95⅞ Dec. 20	96⅜ Dec. 26, 1912
Corp. stock 4s, 1957, reg........	98¾ July 9	98¾ July 9	98¾ July 9, 1912
Corp. stock 4½s, 1957........*M. N.	107⅞ Jan. 8	103⅝ Dec. 10	104⅜ Dec. 26, 1912
Corp. stock 4½s, 1957, reg........	107¼ May 7	106½ Jun 18	106½ Jun 18, 1912
Corp. stock 4½s, 1957........M. N.*	107⅞ Jan. 20	104 Dec. 10	104⅝ Dec. 26, 1912
Corp. stock 4s, 1958.........*M. N.	100⅛ Jan. 23	96 Nov 30	96 Dec. 16, 1912
Corp. stock 4s, 1958, reg........	....	....	197¾ Nov 13, 1911
Corp. stock 4s, 1959.........*M. N.	100⅛ Jan. 23	95⅝ Dec. 17	95⅛ Dec. 27, 1912
Corp. stock 4s, 1959, reg........	100 Apr. 6	96½ Dec. 7	96½ Dec. 7, 1912
Corp. stock 4¼s, 1960........*M. S.	103 Feb. 19	99⅞ Dec. 12	100¼ Dec. 28, 1912
Corp. stock 4¼s, 1960, reg........	101¼ July 17	99½ Dec. 18	99½ Dec. 18, 1912
Assessm't bonds, 3½s, 1914..M. N.	....	....	98¼ Sept. 7, 1912
Assessm't bonds. 4½s. 1917.*M. N.	102⅞ Feb. 29	101 Mar 19	101 Dec. 27, 1912
Assessm't b'ds, 4½s, 1917..M. N.*	102¾ Feb. 14	101 Dec. 27	101 Dec. 27, 1912
Ass bonds, 4½s, 1917, reg..*M. N.	....	....	102¾ July 10, 1912

THE BUSINESS WORLD

WHOLESALE PRICE CHANGES.

Advances and Declines More Evenly Divided Last Week.

The advances shown in Dun's list of minimum wholesale prices quoted in the New York and near-by markets last week came nearer to equaling the declines indicated than for several weeks past. This time there were forty-eight changes, of which twenty-six were declines. The fluctuations in foodstuffs were about equally divided, there being eight declines and six advances. Drugs, chemicals, and oils showed seven and five, respectively, while the metal market showed greater strength with two and six. The hide market was again weak, with six declines and no advances. The other changes were shown in grain, jute, rubber, and turpentine. Twelve commodities, nine of which showed declines last week, were quoted at figures lower than those of last year.

The changes last week, with comparative prices for the previous week and last year, follow:

	Last Week.	Previous Week.	Last Year.
DECLINES.			
Beans, marrow, choice	$5.50	$5.60	$4.60
Beans, medium	4.25	4.30	4.15
Butter, Western factory, firsts	.23	.23½	.23
Eggs, Western firsts	.27	.29	.32
Balsam Copaiba, S. A.	.42	.47	.42
Balsam Peru	1.60	1.65	1.45
Calomel, American	.85	.88	.90
Corosive sublimate	.78	.79	.81
Gum, mastic	.65	.66	.52
Nitrate silver, crystals	.38¾	.40¾	.34¾
Opium, jobbing lots	6.65	6.75	8.55
Wheat, No. 2 red, new crop	1.08	1.08¾	.98
Rye, No. 2	.665	.68	1.01
Hides, cows, heavy native	.17	.17¼	.15¾
Country No. 1 steers	.15	.15	.12¾
No. 1 Cows, heavy	.14¼	.14½	.12¼
No. 1 buff	.14¼	.14½	.12¼
No. 1 kip	.16½	.17	.14¾
No. 1 calfskins	.17	.17½	.18
Aluminium, pig, ton lots	.26	.26½	
Lead, New York	.0427	.0432	.0445
Peas, Scotch, choice	3.75	4.00	6.10
Short ribs, sides, loose, Chicago	9.12½	9.25	7.87½
Pepper, Singapore, black	.10½	.11	.11¾
Pepper, Singapore, white	.17½	.18	.16
Turpentine	.41½	.42½	.53½
ADVANCES.			
Apples, fancy	2.75	2.50	2.50
Butter, creamery extras	.37	.36½	.38
Balsam fir, Canada	6.50	6.25	4.00
Oil, anise	1.55	1.52½	1.40
Malt	.69	.68	1.35
Oats, No. 2 white	.39	.38½	.53½
Jute, spot, old crop	.05½	.056	.04¾
Billets, forging, Pitts	$35.00	$34.00	$26.00
Tank plates, Pittsburgh	1.50	1.45	1.15
Beams, Pittsburgh	1.50	1.45	1.15
Angles, Pittsburgh	1.50	1.45	1.15
Antimony, Hallet	.09¼	.09⅛	.076
Tin, New York	.5015	.49½	.4525
Oil, cottonseed, Summer, white	.064	.063	.0635
Oil, lard, prime city	.96	.90	.75
Oil, lard, extra No. 1	.66	.60	.55
Beef, live, Chicago	5.70	5.45	4.75
Hogs, live, Chicago	7.10	6.80	5.85
Lard, prime steamed, Chicago	10.20	10.02½	9.05
Sheep, live, Chicago	4.20	3.85	2.50
Rubber, up-river, fine	1.10	1.06	1.02
Cloves, Zanzibar	.20¼	.20⅛	.11¾

KNIT GOODS SALES LIGHT.

Holiday and Inventories Interrupt Buying of These Lines.

With the jobbers in the midst of stock taking and buyers generally more interested in holiday business than in new lines, the knit goods market was quiet last week. Salesmen representing both underwear and hosiery manufacturers were for the most part back from their trips, having in many instances booked all the orders the mills cared to take for the time being. Many of the orders placed when the salesmen called were merely blanket orders, it was said, as buyers were at that time too busy attending to immediate business to fully protect themselves on Fall (1913) goods. Details will have to be looked after when the buyers arrive in town.

Prices on underwear are still very firm, with an upward tendency. Late buyers will not only have difficulty in getting the goods they want at satisfactory delivery dates, but will find prices rather high. Agents in many instances were surprised to find the condition their mills were in when they started to figure out how much of the year's production they had sold, and the same scarcity of goods that was noticeable this Fall is expected next year. Both the hosiery and underwear ends of the local market are strong and in a much better condition than at this time a year ago.

COUNTRY PRODUCE MARKETS.

BUTTER.—Creamery, extras, pound, 37@37½c; firsts, 32@35c; seconds, 29@31c; thirds, 27@28c; held, extras, 33@34c; firsts, 30@32c; seconds, 28@29c; thirds, 26@27c; State dairy, tubs, finest, 32@34c; good to prime, 28@31c; common to fair, 25@27c; process, extras, 26½@27c; firsts, 26¼@27c; seconds, 23@24c; imitation creamery, firsts, 24½@25c; factory, held, 23½@24½c; current make, firsts, 23@24c; seconds, 22@22½c; thirds, 19@21c; packing stock, held, 21@22c; current make, No. 2, 21c; No. 3, 18@20c.

CHEESE.—State, whole milk, held, colored, specials, 18c; white, 18c; colored, average fancy, 17¼@17½c; white, 17½@17¾c; lower grades, 16½@17½c; fresh, colored, specials, (not green,) 17@17½c; white, 17@17½c; colored, average run, 16½@16¾c; white, 16½@16¾c; very green and pasty, 16@16½c; poor, 14½@15½c; Daisies, held, best, 18@18¼c; State, skims, held, specials, 14@14½c; choice, 13@13½c; fresh, specials, 13½c; choice, 12@13c; poor to fair, 8@11c; full skims, 3@6c.

EGGS.—Fresh gathered, extras, dozen, 31@32c; extra firsts, 29@30c; firsts, 27@28c; seconds and lower grades, 22@26c; held, fresh, average best, 21@23c; poor to fair, 16@20c; fresh gathered, dirties, 16@18c; checks, 14@16c; refrigerator firsts, special marks, fancy, local storage, charges paid, 19@20c; firsts on dock, 19@19½c; seconds, 18@18½c; thirds and poorer, 14@17½c; State, Pennsylvania, and near by, hennery whites, good to large size, new laid, 42@45c; selected whites, defective in size or quality, 35@40c; Western, gathered whites, 28@36c; State, Pennsylvania, and near by, hennery browns, 32c; gathered brown and mixed colors, 27@30c.

BUSINESS NOTES.

Imports of dry goods at the Port of New York in the week ended Dec. 21 were, according to customs figures, valued at $3,111,449. This figure shows a considerable decline compared with the value of similar imports in the previous week and the corresponding week in 1911, when the totals were $3,735,743 and $3,253,803 respectively.

Waldes & Co., 137 Fifth Avenue, makers of Koh-i-noor dress fasteners, have opened a Chicago office at 514 Medinah Building, with S. A. Weber in charge. Stock will be carried there for delivery in Chicago and the West.

Jewelry imports at New York in the week ended Dec. 21 were valued at $15,296, while receipts of precious stones totaled $681,647. Watches were entered to the value of $48,717.

SIDELIGHTS ON SELLING.

The taste for Manila cigars is rapidly being acquired, according to a prominent importer, and the annual limit of 150,000,000 cigars allowed in this country free of duty is expected to be reached by the end of next year. It is said that imports this year will figure between 90,000,000 and 100,000,000. Business is steadily improving, and instead of the demand dropping off at this time of the year it is still active.

Manufacturers and jobbers of cotton piece goods are making the most of the holiday lull and are busily engaged in making shipments and taking stocks before the January rush comes.

Ratines and the heavier grades of wash goods are still in good demand, and orders booked to date are said to be satisfactory.

CONSULAR TRADE NOTES.

The total imports into the French colony of St. Pierre and Miquelon during 1911 aggregated $1,019,927. The exports, which consisted almost entirely of codfish and the by-products of the codfisheries, amounted to $1,639,591. These figures do not differ materially from any previous year subsequent to 1902. Prior to that year the islands were more prosperous.

There is a large and increasing sale of photographic films in France, and a large portion of the quantity consumed is manufactured there. The principal foreign countries sending films to France are Great Britain, Germany, and Belgium, which have an almost complete monopoly of the foreign film trade.

Vice Consul Harold F. Newhard of Vladivostok reports that the radiotelegraph stations in Okhotsk, Nayahan, and Anadir, Siberia, have been opened.

Farmers' loan banks are planned throughout Mexico by the Department of Fomento at Mexico City, according to a press clipping from Vice Consul General Walcott.

YARN SALES LIMITED.

Year-End Dullness Evident in Local Market—Worsted Yarns Firm.

The cotton yarn market was quiet during the week, as was expected at this time of the year. Most of the buying of late has been for small amounts for immediate delivery to fill in requirements. Many of the larger buyers have not bought sufficient stocks for future use, and it is the opinion of many that manufacturers will be in the market in large numbers soon after the beginning of the new year. Prices are firm, with no indication of an easier market for some time. At present yarns are stronger than ever before, and in some instances a third higher than a year ago.

Little change was noted in the worsted yarn markets, according to The Textile Manufacturers' Journal, with business quiet. Manufacturers have generally finished the lightweight season, and show little inclination to buy heavyweight yarns until after the first of the year. Prices continue firm, and both spinners and manufacturers are working along conservative lines.

TO SAFEGUARD IMMIGRANTS.

Special Bureau to Warn Them of Dangers as They Reach America.

The New York State Bureau of Industries and Immigration of 95 Madison Avenue has organized a Division of Education to inform the 700,000 immigrants who enter this State each year concerning facilities of employment and transportation, and the dangers of swindling and exploitation of immigrants of all conditions on landing here. The new division has been planned by State Labor Commissioner John Williams ever since the bureau was established two years ago.

The new division will furnish a prompt news service of matters interesting to immigrants for English and foreign language newspapers throughout the State, and will distribute pamphlets in foreign languages regarding immigrant conditions. It will be under the general direction of Joseph Mayper, acting chief investigator of the bureau.

PRINTCLOTHS INACTIVE.

The local printcloth market was quiet again yesterday, with no change of importance in prices. Mills did not seem anxious to book additional orders for the present, and little activity was looked for until after the turn of the year. The day's quotations follow:

Twenty-seven-inch, 56-52s, 3⅝c; 27-inch, 56-56s, 3¾c; 27-inch, 64-60s, 3 13-16c; 28-inch, 64-60s, 3 15-16c; 28-inch, 64-64s, 4 1-16c; 38½-inch, 60-52s, 4⅝c; 38½-inch, 60-60s, 5¼c; 39-inch, 64-64s, 5⅝c; 39-inch, 68-72s, 5¾c; 39-inch, 72-76s, 6⅛@6⅜c; 39-inch, 80-80s, 7½c; brown sheetings, Southern standard, 8@8¼c; brown sheetings, 4-yard, 56-60s, 6½c; brown sheetings, 3-yard, 7¼@7½c; brown drills, standard, 8@8¼c; denims, 9-ounce, 14@16¼c; tickings, 8-ounce, 13@13¾c; standard prints, 5½c, and standard staple ginghams, at value, and 6¼c.

Arrival of Buyers.

Arriving buyers may register in this column by telephoning 1000 Bryant.

Herbert, W. P., & Co., Troy, N. Y.; W. P. Herbert, cloaks, suits; Breslin.
Watt & Shand, Lancaster, Penn.; P. J. Watt, flannels, linens; 57 White.
Hochschild, Kohn & Co., Baltimore, Md.; Miss J. Armstrong, waists; 220 5th Av.
Whitner, C. K., & Co., Reading, Penn.; Miss L. Grosch, laces; Grand.
Whitney, W. M., & Co., Albany, N. Y.; T. Ryan, hosiery, knit goods; 41 Union Square.
Lord & Gage, Reading Penn.; Miss A. Saink, handkerchiefs, ladies' neckwear; 214 Church.
Freimuth, I., Duluth, Minn.; D. H. Cargill, millinery; 79 5th Av.
Bauch, J., Chicago, Ill.; cotton goods; Latham.
Kessell, Paul, Co., Kansas City, Mo.; P. Kessell, jobs, silk dresses; 15 E. 26th.
Wise & Co., Atlanta, Ga.; H. J. Wise, hosiery, underwear, sweaters; 97 Franklin; Orleans.
Woodward & Lathrop, Washington, D. C.; E. C. Gotchel, furnishing goods; J. E. Fronani, china, cut glass; 334 4th Av.
Goldenberg, M., Washington, D. C.; K. E. Miller, children's coats, silk petticoats; 15 West 26th.
Filene's, William, Sons' Co., Boston, Mass.; L. Rivers, basement, merchandise manager; W. Libby, millinery; 116 W. 32d.
Frank & Seder, Pittsburgh, Penn.; J. H. Frank, waists, muslin underwear; 221 4th Av.
Porteous, Mitchell & Braun Co., Portland, Me.; R. Braun, embroideries; 55 White.
MacInnes, J. C., Co., Worcester, Mass.; C. A. Bland, embroideries; 55 White.
Smith & Murray, Springfield, Mass.; H. J. Donnelly, embroideries; 55 White.
Robertson-Sutherland Co., Lawrence, Mass.; Miss J. Hennessy, embroideries; 55 White.
MacBain, G., Co., Roanoke, Va.; C. M. Koontz, embroideries; 55 White.
Watt & Shand, Lancaster, Penn.; H. Shenck, embroideries; 55 White.
McLean, J., & Sons, York, Penn.; Miss C. Manfeld, embroideries; 55 White.
Trankla, C., & Co., Grand Rapids, Mich.; J. McConnal, embroideries; 55 White.
Gilchrist Co., Boston, Mass.; J. W. Kelly, embroideries; 55 White.
Smith-Murray Co., Bridgeport, Conn.; F. E. Blake, embroideries; 55 White.
Porteous & Mitchell Co., Norwich, Conn.; T. H. Galligan, embroideries; 55 White.
Miller & Rhoads, Richmond, Va.; W. H. Westbrook, embroideries; 55 White.
Long, Jonas, Sons, Scranton, Penn.; B. F. Shugard, furnishing goods, hosiery, gloves; 315 4th Av.; Grand.
Hollander, L. P., & Co., Boston, Mass.; J. F. Farrell, clothing; Wolcott.
Butler's, Boston, Mass.; Miss C. M. Kennedy, muslin underwear; 25 E. 26th; Wolcott.
MacInnes, J. C., Co., Worcester, Mass.; G. A. Carpenter, clothing; 55 White; Victoria.
Steiger, A., Co., Springfield, Mass.; P. J. Donovan, dress goods, silks; H. E. Fournier, dry goods; 70 Franklin; Victoria.
Spiegel Brothers, Chicago, Ill.; J. Spiegel, flowers, feathers; Victoria.
Prager, A. A., Baltimore, Md.; A. J. Rosenbaum, millinery; McAlpin.
Kline, Eppihimer & Co., Reading, Penn.; D. Mould, cloaks, suits; 315 4th Av.
Mittledorfer, D. & E., Richmond, Va.; J. Mittledorfer, dry goods; McAlpin.
Cline, L., & Brother, Salt Lake City, Utah; B. Cline, notions, men's and ladies' furnishing goods; 43 Leonard.
Thompson, Gibson, Co., Williamsport, Penn.; E. E. Schleh, house furn. goods; 315 4th Av.; Herald Square.
Pizitz Carpet Co., Birmingham, Ala.; L. Pizitz, carpets; York.
Eisenberg, A., Baltimore, Md.; A. Berkenwald, clothing; York.
Weiler, A., & Bro., Hartford City, Ind.; A. E. Beasley, mdse. manager; 16 E. 45th.
Porteous & Mitchell Co., Norwich, Conn.; J. H. Galligan, laces; 55 White; Hermitage.
Tootle, Campbell, D. G. Co., St. Joseph, Md.; H. Spoor, mfg. dept.; 75 Leonard.
Meis, Bros., Danville, Ill.; A. Meiss, cloaks, suits, waists; 315 4th Av.
Manhattan Cloak & Suit Co., Nashville, Tenn.; A. Weinfann, cloaks, suits; Cadillac.
Newcomber, M. M., Co., Knoxville, Tenn.; M. M. Newcomber, dress goods, silks; Cadillac.
Gilchrist Co., Boston, Mass.; J. W. Kelly, trimmings, embroideries; 55 White.
Hillmans, Chicago, Ill.; E. Rains, clothing, hats; 20 W. 22d.
Thomas, A. S., Meriden, Conn.; J. J. Killeen, notinons, hosiery, furn. goods; 220 5th Av.; King Edward.
Smith, McCord, Townsend D. G. Co., Kansas City, Mo.; W. Cheek, furn. goods; 72 Leonard; Cumberland.
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FRUIT MARKET QUIET.

Storm, Holiday, and Poor Quality of Offerings Kept Buying Light.

The pre-Christmas storm and the usual holiday dullness kept trading at a low ebb in the apple end of the New York fruit market last week, but no material price changes occurred. Receipts were light, but the amount of stock in the market from the week previous was of good size, and buyers had little difficulty in obtaining all of this fruit they wanted. The week's receipts of Florida oranges were not, for the most part, of the best quality, but those acceptable to traders' needs moved at generally good prices. There was not much doing in California oranges. Buyers refused to take most of the fruit offered them because of its unripe condition. Receipts were not heavy, which was for a good part responsible for the firmer tone developed in fancy Navels during the week.

The Porto Rico oranges received here contained a large percentage of undesirables, which, save on the best grades, acted detrimentally to prices. Grape fruit from the island was easier, in sympathy with the softer tone in Florida offerings of this kind. Sicily lemons were liberally offered, considering the period, but under the general inattention of buyers declined in some cases as much as 75 cents a box.

HAUL SNOW ALL DAY SUNDAY.

Street Department Aims to Forget Last Week's Storm by To-Morrow.

Considerable progress in the removal of snow from the streets was made yesterday, according to Inspector A. F. Gunther of the Street Cleaning Department. Gunther reported that all the prominent avenues running north and south were cleared, and that with good weather everything should be cleaned up by to-morrow.

Yesterday afternoon there was a force of 2,700 men at work in addition to the regular department force of 6,500. The contractors had 2,016 trucks and 3,426 men at work in the three boroughs. In the downtown business districts and on the lower east side large forces worked all last night. For a time the snow contractors had trouble in obtaining men, but yesterday there were plenty on hand. Drivers got additional half pay for yesterday's work.

James R. Keene Getting Better.

According to Dr. St. Clair Smith, who is in attendance on James R. Keene at the Waldorf-Astoria, his condition yesterday was slightly improved. Mr. Keene is still very weak, but Dr. Smith believes that his recovery is certain. Mr. Keene's son, Foxhall Keene, visited his father yesterday afternoon, and said he was pleased with his progress toward recovery.

PAY SPACE RATE FOR MAILS.

Postmaster General's Plan for Compensation of Railroads.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Postmaster General Hitchcock has written a letter to Representative Moon, Chairman of the House Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, appealing for legislation changing the method of paying the railways for mail transportation. He says in this letter that he deems it necessary that some action should now be taken on his recommendation as early as possible on account of the inauguration of the parcel post system on Jan. 1. He thinks that the weight of mail to be transported by railroads will be increased considerably on this account, and under the existing law no additional compensation may be paid until there has been a weighing of the mails and a readjustment of the basis of pay.

Mr. Hitchcock's proposition, which was submitted to Congress more than a year ago and is being urged again for adoption by that body, provides for a complete readjustment of the system of paying the railways for carrying the mails, substituting space for weight as the principal factor in fixing compensation. Under this plan it will be possible to determine without delay what additional payment should be made on account of the parcel post. The Postmaster General's recommendation is based on the results of a far-reaching investigation begun in the early days of this administration with the object of determining what it costs the railways to carry the mails.

The statistics gathered during the course of the inquiry show that while many of the railroads, and particularly the larger systems, were making profits from mail transportation, certain of the lines were actually carrying the mails at a loss. As a result of the investigation, the department, after giving the subject careful consideration, decided to urge the abandonment of the present plan of fixing compensation on the basis of the weight of mails carried, a plan that has proved to be exceedingly expensive and in other respects unsatisfactory.

If the proposed plan of adjustment be authorized and placed in operation, Mr. Hitchcock says in his letter, it will enable the department fully to compensate the railways for increaed service performed as well as to correct inequalities in compensation which now exist.

Bill to Extend Trenton.

TRENTON, Dec. 29.—Senator Harry D. Leavitt of this county will present a bill in the Legislature providing for the annexation of Broad Street Park, a suburb, to Trenton. This would add 5,000 more to the population of Trenton, and raise the city above the 100,000 mark. Annexation is well thought of in the territory which it is proposed to annex.

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Commissioner George V. S. Williams of the Public Service Commission is about to call a meeting of the officials of the State departments with offices in this city to consider the erection in New York of one building where all State departments could be housed. At the present time there are over twenty offices scattered about the city, but they are so widely separated and some of them are in such modest quarters that it is often difficult for persons having business with them to discover them, and there are no facilities whatever for transacting any business that may be common to two of them.

The Attorney General has an office at 299 Broadway, the Banking Department at 60 Broadway, the Department of Labor, with the bureaus of factory inspection, labor statistics, mediation and arbitration, and mercantile inspection, at 381 Fourth Avenue; the Department of Agriculture at 23 Park Row, the Department of Excise at 1 Madison Avenue, the Department of Insurance at 165 Broadway, the Controller, with the Corporation Tax Department, the Transfer Tax Appraisers, and the Private Banking Department, at 165 Broadway; the State Commission in Lunacy and the State Board of Alienists at 1 Madison Avenue, the Superintendent of Elections at 47 West Forty-second Street, the Secretary of State's Automobile Bureau at 227 West Seventy-fourth Street, the Board of Charities at 287 Fourth Avenue, the Prison Department and the Board of Classification at 99 Warren Street, the Racing Commissioners at 32 Nassau Street, the Commissioners for Licensing Sailors' Hotels and Boarding Houses at 51 Wall Street, the Commissioners of Pilots at 17 State Street, the headquarters of the National Guard at 280 Broadway, the Public Service Commission of the First District in the Tribune Building, and the up-State commission at 1 Madison Avenue.

In addition to these there are such official bodies as the New York and New Jersey Inter-State Bridge Commission, and the Commissioners of Palisades Park, which have separate offices, but would naturally be accommodated in the State office building, if it existed, and there are a number of State departments which pay occasional visits to this city and have no quarters of their own for the transaction of business. Thus the State Civil Service Commission, if it wishes to hold a hearing here, is as likely as not to go to the Municipal Civil Service Commission's offices.

The up-State Public Service Commission has held hearings in the United Engineering Societies Building, in West Thirty-ninth Street, or in the Merchants' Association Building, in Lafayette Street, and legislative committees, such as the Armstrong Insurance Committee, have had to go to the City Hall.

If the Governor comes to the city for business he has no place to transact it other than a hotel, and he is actually worse off now than he was in the old days, when the Governors' Room in the City Hall was something more than a show place for tourists. All this could be remedied, it is believed, if the State would appropriate enough money to erect a building of its own in the city, where the departments which must have New York headquarters could be accommodated and a hall provided for meetings and public hearings.

James J. Hoey, Deputy Superintendent of Insurance in charge of the New York office, has given a good deal of attention to the matter and has obtained from the Controller a statement of the amount actually expended last year by the State for rental in the city. Excluding the offices of the city's Public Service Commission, it amounted to $89,274. At the present time the Public Service Commission is spending on its quarters $70,000 a year, which is paid by the city. When the city departments move into the Municipal Building it will occupy two whole floors of that structure, but this room could easily be utilized for other city departments, if the commission went elsewhere.

It is reckoned that the contribution of the city to the commission's expenses could easily be made in some other way than by providing it with quarters, and in any case, as the commission is a State department, its expenditure for rent, whoever defrays it, ought to be counted as part of the State's outlay for office rent. This brings the actual rent bill to nearly $160,000 a year, and, considering the urgent need for more accommodation by many of the departments, this is certain to rise in the future.

An outlay of $160,000 a year is the equivalent at 4 per cent. to the interest on a capital expenditure of $4,000,000. For that sum the State could, it is maintained, erect a building worthy of being known as the headquarters of the State's activities and at the same time provide infinitely more convenient facilities for the transaction of its business. The suggestion has been made that now that the city is laying out a civic centre and that Borough President McAneny has devised a plan for the grouping of public buildings near the new Court House, it would be a comparatively simple matter to find a fitting site for such a State office pile. It could be designed to harmonize with the new Court House and the Criminal Courts, which are under discussion, to say nothing of the new Federal Court House, which it is hoped will soon be added to the group.

At the meeting to be called by Commissioner Williams the matter will be taken up by those who are familiar with the needs of the State. They will decide what should be included in a measure for the provision of such a building, and they will appoint, in all probability, a committee to draw up a bill. This will then be introduced at Albany early in the session, with the hope that it will become law before the Legislature adjourns.

NEW CABLE RATES NOW.

Many Nations Adopt Reductions Put In Force by Western Union.

A new scale of cable rates reducing the prevailing charges will go into effect for the Western Union cable lines tomorrow. These new rates were agreed upon last September, and were announced by Theodore N. Vail, President of the Western Union Company, and the Postmaster General of Great Britain. Since that time other countries have agreed to adopt the same rates.

Most important in the new scale is the twelve-word cable letter which may be sent after Jan. 1 to all points in the United Kingdom, Belgium, Holland, Denmark, Austria, Germany, France, and Switzerland for 75 cents. This is a material reduction from the existing cable letter of twenty words, for which the charge is $1.50. Five cents will be charged for each additional word in the new cable letter, and the telegraph company will add a word designating whether the message shall be telephoned or mailed at the place of delivery without extra charge to the sender. The "week-end" letter, which now costs $1.50 for thirty words, has been reduced to $1.15 for twenty-four words on the new schedule.

All deferred rate messages to the United Kingdom have been reduced from 12½ cents a word to 9 cents. The deferred message rate to points on the Continent and to points in Africa, India, China, and Iceland will stay at 12½ cents a word, which is half the regular rate to all of these countries.

The new rates, as announced at the office of the Western Union, are an outcome of the agitation to reduce the number of code messages in favor of plain-language messages. The twelve-word minimum of the cable letter service, it was explained, complied with the twelve-word minimum requirements of the English and Continental lines. These cable letters will be received at local offices of the Western Union any time before midnight, and will be delivered within twenty-four hours after their receipt.

THE FINANCIAL SITUATION IN AMERICA AND EUROPE

There was very little trading in stocks last week and only a negligible change in the general level of prices. The moderate recovery from the recent depression had, apparently, been accompanied by sufficient short covering to lessen the urgency of buying from that quarter, and no disposition was shown by the great body of traders to engage in any effort to carry the upward movement forward with any aggressiveness. At the lower levels, to which stocks had declined, a considerable amount of public buying had occurred, but the absorption of stocks was not on a scale to compel a large upturn in prices. Apart from other factors, and among them, the Congressional investigation of the Stock Exchange might be mentioned, which put a damper on purely speculative operations, the tightness of the money market made it difficult to go very far for the time being in the direction of creating an enlarged position on the long side of the market. It was not so much a question of unwillingness of traders to pay high rates for a brief period as it was that available credits were already in full employment. But no one factor accounts for the position of the stock market last week. The fact that it was broken by a holiday was, at least, a contributing influence to the extreme dullness into which the market fell.

Interest was, as a matter of fact, centred last week elsewhere than on the Stock Exchange. The incidents of the money market greatly emphasized the presence of large demands which have to be met in these closing days of the year, and to bring into clearer relief the questions in respect to the monetary outlook which will confront the markets here and abroad at the beginning of the New Year. The European banks have escaped the increases in their discount rates, which a few weeks ago were regarded by many as inevitable as one development of the closing year. In view of the part which political apprehension played in creating the situation which is now being worked out in the money market, there has been a general disposition among the great banks to take no step which could be in any way interpreted as due to a recurrence of political fears. This disposition on the part of bankers doubtless helps to account in some measure for the fact that the bank rates in Europe to-day are not higher than they are. Of course, having gotten thus far with the rates fixed some weeks ago, it is natural that all the markets should look forward to sufficent relief after the turn of the year to make any further increases unnecessary. This, however, is not synonymous with any belief that real ease in money is likely to manifest itself at a very early date.

Much will depend in more directions than the stock market itself, upon the course of money in the early months of the year, and it is worth while to refer briefly to some of the more salient factors which enter into the outlook. It is necessary to take into consideration some facts which may tend to retard the normal movement toward money ease after the year-end requirements have been met. It is universally expected that the European markets at no remote date will be called upon to provide for a number of loans by the countries of Southeastern Europe, partly to cover the cost of the war between the Balkan allies and Turkey, and partly to provide for other needs. The European markets are also looking for borrowing by Austria as well as by Italy, and there are still other Governmental borrowings which are believed to be only awaiting a sufficient change in the investment situation to warrant their flotation. But these requiremens of Governments, a large part of them, it must be noted, arising from war or from its direct effects, are by no means the only sums which the investment market is likely to be soon called upon to provide. Thus in France there is impending another $100,000,000 Crédit Foncier loan, and a $60,000,000 loan for Morocco. In addition to all these there are the normal but large calls for capital for use in many parts of the world.

Coming to our own situation, we have many maturing obligations to provide for, and, doubtless also, many large corporation open accounts to settle through the issue of one form or another of securities. At the same time, so far as the outlook now appears, this market is more likely than those of Europe to approach the normal extent of new year easing in money. This seems likely partly because we will be less directly influenced than will be the markets of Europe by the expected large borrowings by recent belligerents, but another very important factor is our continued favorable position in international trade. So long as the rest of the world continues to buy American merchandise as freely as it has during recent months, our credit trade balances will be large. This, of course, suggests the possibility of American takings of gold from Europe, but there are one or two considerations which leave it very uncertain that New York will soon again be drawing gold from abroad. In the first place, a continuance of the policy of avoiding, so far as possible, any embarrassment to other markets would suggest that any effort on our part to obtain gold should be suspended, so long as conditions on the other side make it difficult for the European markets to spare any of the metal for shipment to this side. But in the main interest rates will be controlling in this matter, and if it proves that the New York market is in a position to attain a larger share of ease in money than the markets of Europe, it may again become true that the New York market will be relatively the easiest of the world's money markets. Under those conditions no incentive to take gold will exist.

Notwithstanding the vagaries of our call money market, money is, as a matter of fact, at the moment tighter in Europe than it is here. This is particularly true of Germany, which always experiences a stringency in money at the principal quarterly periods. The one thing which would lead to pronounced ease would be a severe contraction in trade, and of that, happily, there is no sign. Such falling off in activity as is anywhere indicated would still leave a large demand for money for industrial and commercial uses. In this respect the monetary outlook, particularly here, may be said to be satisfactory, for it is to the interest of none that rates should recede to a level suggestive of unwillingness or inability on the part of the usual borrowers of money to use it profitably.

LONDON MARKET IS STAGNANT.

General Belief Is That the Bank Rate Will Not Be Raised.

By Marconi Transatlantic Wireless Telegraph to The New York Times.

LONDON, Dec. 29.—The Stock Exchange is in holiday mood, and, except for routine work connected with the settlement, there is practically no business. There have been very few changes in quotations, but those are mostly in a upward direction and are largely centred on foreign railways.

American stocks are almost as stagnant as those in other markets.

It is pointed out, however, that quotations at the end of the year are considerably below the level of twelve months ago. The year's loss on 387 representative securities, selected by the Bankers' Magazine, amounts on paper to £85,000,000, ($425,000,000.)

Notwithstanding the large amounts taken from the Bank of England, the consequent serious depletion of its reserves and the expectation of further gold demands from various quarters, the general opinion is that the bank is unlikely to find it necessary to increase the rate, especially as next month the return flow of gold from circulation will be very great, and large supplies of gold are now on the way to England.

RESERVE BERLIN KEYNOTE.

German Market Dull Under Influence of Vienna Pessimism.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

BERLIN, Dec. 29.—Owing to fears of tight money conditions at the approaching monthly settlement of the Stock Exchange, operations last week were marked by extreme reserve. Numerous favorable reports, which would ordinarily have stimulated the market, were without effect. Berlin continues to be more or less under the influence of the Vienna market, which is still paralyzed by political uncertainties.

Until the international atmosphere is clarified reserve will remain the keynote of the German investing public. It is expected that money will be considerably easier after the opening of the new year, particularly if peace is concluded between Turkey and the Balkan allies.

SLIGHT REACTION IN PARIS.

Political Uncertainty Causes Restriction of Operations.

By Marconi Transatlantic Wireless Telegraph to The New York Times.

PARIS, Dec. 29.—Despite the almost total absence of business, the market remained strong until Saturday, when, money being dearer for the approaching monthly settlement, some of the operators were obliged to realize, which caused a slight lowering of prices.

The two-day holiday in the middle of the week went a long way toward discouraging enterprise, and the uncertainty of the political outlook has led operators to await developments.

WEEK'S CURB TRANSACTIONS.

The transactions in the leading securities on the New York Curb market for the week ended Saturday, Dec. 28, with price changes for the week, are given in the following table:

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Ch'ge.
	INDUSTRIALS.				
2,100	Allied Sec. Co.	84	82	84	..
100	Am. Cigar Co.	150	150	150	..
4,300	Brit.-Am. Tob.	24⅛	23¾	24⅛	+ ⅜
100	Brown Shoe	55¾	55¾	55¾	+ ¼
100	Cluett-Peabody	68	68	68	+ 1
600	Cl.-Peabody pf.	102½	102	102¼	− ¼
100	Em.-Brant. pf.	100	100	100	..
360	Havana Tob.	4½	4½	4½	− ⅜
2,300	Houston Oil	21¼	14	17½	− 3
765	Man. Shirt Co. pf., w. i.	102¼	101¼	102⅛	− ⅛
700	*Mar. of Am., new	6	5¼	6	+ ½
3,800	*Mays Oil	21	16	18	− 4
300	Oil Fields of M.	2	2	2	+ ⅜
1,330	S. O. of N. J.	420	393	416	+22
5,800	Tob. Prod. pf.	99	97	97	− ½
20,000	Un. C. S. w. i.	113½	108	113½	+ 4½
300	Un. C. S. pf. w. i.	116½	116	116½	− ¼
600	U. S. L. & H., new	15	13½	15	+ 2
100	U. S. L. & H. pf., new	81½	80	81½	+ 1½
680	Willys Overl'd	72	70½	71	− 1
655	Willys O. pf.	[illegible]	99	99	− 2
	RAILROADS.				
150	D., L. & W. rights, w. i.	127	127	127	..
2,850	Man. Tran.	1 13-16	1 9-16	1 13-16	+3-16
	MINING.				
4,300	Alaska G. M.	13¾	12¼	12⅞	..
1,000	*Beaver Con.	43	43	43	+ 3
6,180	*Big Four	60	57	58	..
5,285	Braden Copper	10½	10¼	10¼	− ⅛
200	Brit. Col. Cop.	4⅜	4⅜	4	+ ⅛
600	Butte & N. Y.	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	+ ⅛
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9,500	*C. O. D. Cons.	8	7	7	..
450	D.-Daly Cop.	2	1½	1 13-16	+3-16
1,000	*Diam'd Daisy	3	3	3	− 1
5,000	*Dia. Bl. Butte	6	5½	5½	− ½
4,800	El Paso new	6¾	6	6½	− ¼
6,500	*Ely Consol.	11	10	11	..
250	First Nat. Cop.	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	+ ¼
3,460	*Florence	60	58	60	..
1,300	Giroux Min.	4 1-16	3 15-16	3 15-16	..
700	Gold Hill Cons.	¼	3-16	¼	..
13,000	Goldfield Min.	7	6½	7	..
500	Gr.-Can., new	9	8¾	9	− ⅛
11,500	*Jumbo Ext.	34	27	34	+ [illegible]
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600	Mason V., new	10½	10¼	10½	− ½
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5,450	Nipissing Mines	9⅜	8½	9⅜	+ ⅜
400	*North B. Dev.	30	30	30	..
500	Ohio Copper	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	+1-16
4,960	P. S. & R. w. i.	2½	2	2½	+ ½
1,000	S. U. M. & M.	⅜	⅜	⅜	..
6,350	Stewart Mining	2½	1⅞	2½	+5-16
42,950	*Ton. Merger	88	82	85	+ 4
2,350	Tonopah Ext.	2 7-16	2⅜	2 7-16	+1-16
1,100	Ton. M. of Nev.	6 9-16	6	6 9-16	+1-16
550	Tri-Bullion	⅜	¼	¼	− ⅛
4,200	Tularosa	1 1-16	⅞	1	+ ⅛
3,000	Tuol. Copper	3⅜	2⅞	3⅛	+ ⅛
600	Union Mines	⅛	⅛	⅛	−1-16
9,450	West End Con.	1 5-16	1 3-16	1 5-16	+ ⅛
13,000	*Wett. Silver M.	26	24	26	+ 1
	BONDS.				
$14,000	Braden Cop. 6s	208	205	205	− 3
17,000	Braden Cop. 7s	207½	205	205	..
15,000	B. R. T. 5 p. c. notes	96¼	96¼	96¼	..
160,000	Can. So. 5s, w. i.	106⅛	106	106⅛	− ¼
79,000	Chi. El. new 5s	97¾	97¼	97¾	+ ¾
5,000	Mason Val. 6s	115	115	115	..
148,000	N. Y. City 4½s, 1960	99¼	99	99¼	+ ⅛
20,000	N. Y. City 4¼s, 1962	99 3-16	99 1-16	99 3-16	− ¼
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OUTLOOK FOR RAILWAYS GOOD

Officials Say That 1913 Promises to be a Prosperous Year.

If the expectations of some of the leading railway officers of the United States are realized, the coming year will prove to be one of the best business periods on record. Answers received by The Railway Age Gazette from a number of Presidents and Vice Presidents to the question, "How do you regard the business prospects of the railways for the calendar year 1913?" were generally favorable, although some of the replies indicated a fear of disturbances in connection with tariff legislation.

Frederick D. Underwood, President of the Erie, says that if a good crop for the coming year is prospective the business of the carriers will remain on the present basis, but that the reverse will bring a falling off in the latter part of the year. J. C. Stuart, Vice President of the same company, says that the prospects are very bright. H. U. Mudge, President of the Rock Island, says he considers the outlook very good. "Business will certainly be good unless the activities of the new Congress should be such as to frighten those engaged in industrial development," he says.

B. L. Winchell, President of the St. Louis & San Francisco, says he considers the prospects of railway earnings and business excellent. "I think the tonnage in sight and the momentum of business will carry the railways along to the close of the present fiscal year—that is, June 30, 1913," he says. "After that conditions will depend somewhat upon the outturn, or the prospects for the 1913 crops, but with normal crop conditions the entire calendar year ought to be good." Julius Kruttschnitt, Director of Maintenance and Operation of the Union Pacific and Southern Pacific, contents himself with saying that business is good at the present time, and that he is hopeful for the coming year. George T. Nicholson, Vice President of the Atchison, considers the outlook most excellent.

Fairfax Harrison, President of the Chicago, Indianapolis & Louisville, says that the prospects are for a large volume of traffic on the railways in the Middle West in 1913, with revenues largely consumed by expenses. In comparison with the first six months of 1912, he looks for an increase in net also, which he says will not indicate prosperity of the railways, but rather comparison with the abnormal conditions created by the severe Winter last year. President Stevens of the Chesapeake & Ohio finds every indication of good business in 1913. A similar view is expressed by W. A. Garrett, Vice President of the Chicago Great Western, who qualifies his prediction with the words, "if we escape an overdose of politics." W. C. Brown, President of the New York Central lines, says he regards as very good the business prospects of the railways for the coming year.

The outlook for the Southeastern States is generally favorable, according to W. W. Finley, head of the Southern Railway. "In this section, as a result of a more general adoption of improved agricultural methods, farm production is tending to increase from year to year," he says. "There is also a constant tendency toward greater diversification of crops, with more attention to live stock, the dairy industry, and poultry raising. Conditions surrounding the principal industries of the Southeast, including the cotton mill industry, iron and steel, lumbering and woodworking industries, and tobacco manufacturing are generally favorable and the outlook for the immediate future is good."

W. L. Park, Vice President of the Illinois Central, says:

"There never was a time in the history of this country when, as a whole, it was more prosperous. The business prospects of the railways for the calendar year 1913 depend to a great extent upon the new Administration. If conservative and constructive, with a due regard for all branches of business regardless of politics, and a comprehensive handling of the railroad question, there should be progressive prosperity not only during the coming year, but for many years thereafter. Business is restricted to a great extent at present by the stagnation in railroad building. There is practically no construction under way throughout the United States. The transportation facilities for aiding business are falling behind. Individuals will not invest in new projects, nor is there any power that can compel them to do so until they are assured of a fair return upon the investment. Those who use the railroads must see to it that this question is settled, and settled soon, without regard to the past or individual interests."

This is the view taken by F. A. Delano, President and Receiver of the Wabash:

"I think there will be a very large volume of business in the calendar year 1913, due to the immense crops raised in 1912. Large volume of business enables railroads, unless already overtaxed, to reduce unit costs of service and, therefore, to increase profits. But there are a good many items of deferred maintenance which will call for considerable expenditures from the first available funds, both in maintenance of equipment and in maintenance of way, and I, therefore, don't think that the calendar year 1913 is going to produce very brilliant results in net earnings."

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Range for Year 1911.		Range for Year 1912.				Closing Saturday, Dec. 28.		Week's Net Change.	STOCKS.	Par Value.	Amount Capital Stock Listed.	Last Dividend Paid.		Period.	Range for Week Ended Dec. 28.				Closing a Year Ago.	Sales Week Ended Dec. 28, '12.
High.	Low.	High.	Date.	Low.	Date.	Bid	Ask					Date.	Per Cent		First.	High.	Low.	Last.		
..	..	3½	Oct. 31	1	Dec. 17	1¼	1⅜	+ ⅛	ALLIS-CHALMERS CO. t. r., 2d asst. pd.	100	$17,165,600	....	..	..	1¼	1⅜	1¼	1⅜	..	400
..	..	10½	Nov. 7	4¾	Dec. 23	5	5½	— 1½	Allis-Chalmers Co. pf. t. r., 2d as. pd.	100	14,095,500	....	..	..	5	5	4¾	5	..	1,100
71⅝	44¾	92¾	Oct. 4	60	Feb. 1	75½	75⅝	— ⅞	Amalgamated Copper Co.	100	153,887,900	Nov. 25, '12	1½	Q	76¾	76¾	74⅝	75⅝	66	61,680
63⅜	46	63⅜	Mar. 22	54⅛	Dec. 26	54¼	55	— 1⅜	American Agricultural Chemical Co.	100	18,330,900	Oct. 15, '12	1	Q	54⅛	54⅝	54⅛	54⅝	62½	200
105	99½	104¼	Mar. 20	98	July 17	98	100	— ⅞	American Agricultural Chemical Co. pf.	100	27,112,700	Oct. 15, '12	1½	Q	99	99	99	99	105	100
59⅝	39⅝	77	Sep. 19	46½	Dec. 28	47¼	47⅝	— 4⅜	American Beet Sugar Co.	100	15,000,000	Nov. 15, '12	1¼	Q	52	52	46½	47½	57¼	18,500
97	87	107⅞	Nov. 15	91½	Jan. 2	92	97	— 4	American Brake Shoe & Foundry Co.	100	3,600,000	Sep. 30, '12	1¾	Q	93¼	93¾	93¼	93¾	90⅞	100
..	..	2⅜	Nov. 21	½	Dec. 28	..	..	— 1	American Brake Shoe & Foundry Co. rts.	..	....	....	..	..	1¼	1¼	½	½	..	500
12½	8⅞	47⅞	Oct. 11	11¾	Feb. 1	29	29¼	— 2¼	American Can Co.	100	41,233,300	....	..	..	31	31½	28½	29	11½	16,800
93⅛	77	126¼	Sep. 19	90⅝	Feb. 1	114¾	115	— 1½	American Can Co. pf.	100	41,233,300	Oct. 1, '12	1¼	Q	116⅜	117	114½	115	92½	8,000
58¼	42⅝	63⅝	Sep. 25	49⅝	Feb. 1	53½	54¼	— 1½	American Car & Foundry Co.	100	30,000,000	Oct. 1, '12	½	Q	55½	55½	54¼	54¼	54	600
120	113	120	May 24	115	Feb. 14	115¼	117½	+ 1⅜	American Car & Foundry Co. pf.	100	30,000,000	Oct. 1, '12	1¾	Q	115⅝	117	115⅝	117	117¼	200
62⅜	41⅝	60¼	Nov. 18	45½	Jan. 19	55	57	— ¼	American Cotton Oil Co.	100	20,237,100	June 1, '11	2½	..	56⅜	56⅜	56⅜	56⅜	46⅞	100
245	201	220	Apr. 6	170	Dec. 26	160	172	— 9	American Express Co.	100	18,000,000	Oct. 1, '12	3	Q	170	170	170	170	210	100
5	3½	7¼	Sep. 25	3	Feb. 19	5	5⅛	..	American Hide & Leather Co.	100	11,274,100	....	..	..	5	5	5	5	..	100
26⅝	18	34	Sep. 25	20	Feb. 26	25	27	+ 2¼	American Hide & Leather Co. pf.	100	12,548,300	Aug. 15, '05	1	..	27	27	27	27	..	100
25¾	16½	30⅝	May 20	18	Jan. 2	19¼	19¾	+ ⅛	American Ice Securities Co.	100	19,045,100	July 20, '07	1¾	..	19	19	19	19	18	200
12⅝	8	17⅞	Apr. 23	9¼	Mar. 6	11¼	12	— ⅞	American Linseed Co.	100	16,750,000	....	..	..	11⅝	11⅝	11⅝	11⅝	11¼	100
34½	26½	43	Apr. 23	30	Feb. 20	31	32½	..	American Linseed Co. pf.	100	16,750,000	Sep. 1, '00	1¾	..	32½	32½	32½	32½	34½	100
43¼	32⅞	47½	Nov. 18	31⅜	Feb. 27	41⅜	42	— 1	American Locomotive Co.	100	25,000,000	Aug. 26, '08	1¼	..	42⅝	43½	42	42	..	1,500
110⅝	102	110½	Aug. 14	103	Jan. 9	105	106⅜	— ¼	American Locomotive Co. pf.	100	25,000,000	Oct. 21, '12	1¾	Q	106⅜	106⅜	106⅜	106⅜	105⅞	100
5⅜	3	19⅛	Aug. 5	4¾	Jan. 10	11	12½	— ⅝	American Malt Corporation	100	5,787,300	....	..	..	12½	12½	12½	12½	4½	100
43⅝	31½	69¼	Aug. 14	42	Jan. 6	58	60	+ ¼	American Malt Corporation pf.	100	8,724,900	Nov. 2, '12	2¼	SA	59⅝	60	59⅝	60	41½	200
83⅞	56⅝	91	Sep. 26	66½	Dec. 16	71⅝	72	— ⅞	American Smelting & Refining Co.	100	50,000,000	Dec. 16, '12	1	Q	72½	73¼	71½	72	72½	8,800
108½	98⅜	109⅝	Sep. 26	102⅝	Jan. 2	105	105⅛	+ ⅝	American Smelting & Refining Co. pf.	100	50,000,000	Dec. 2, '12	1¾	Q	104⅞	105¼	104⅞	105¼	102¼	400
325	225	203¼	Dec. 4	123	Mar. 6	190	192	— 2¼	American Snuff Co.	100	11,001,700	Oct. 1, '12	4	Q	189⅞	189⅞	187⅞	189⅞	..	350
..	..	105	Aug. 18	99	Feb. 9	101½	105	..	American Snuff Co. pf., new	100	3,737,800	Oct. 1, '12	1½	Q	104	104	104	104	..	8
122¼	112¼	133½	May 13	113½	Dec. 11	116½	118	— 2⅜	American Sugar Refining Co.	100	45,000,000	Oct. 2, '12	1¾	Q	117⅜	117⅜	117	117	115¼	200
119½	111	124	Sep. 27	115½	Jan. 5	115	117	— 1	American Sugar Refining Co. pf.	100	45,000,000	Oct. 2, '12	1¾	Q	116	116	116	116	116⅝	200
153⅛	131½	149⅛	Mar. 25	137⅝	Jan. 2	140⅝	141¼	+ 1	American Telephone & Telegraph Co.	100	334,789,000	Oct. 15, '12	2	Q	140½	141	140	141	137⅝	2,200
..	..	324½	July 1	241⅛	Jan. 11	276	277½	— 2⅜	American Tobacco Co.	100	49,314,700	Dec. 2, '12	2½	Q	276¼	278¼	275⅝	275⅝	..	200
..	..	106⅜	Jan. 19	101½	Jan. 11	102¼	103	+ ¼	American Tobacco Co. pf., new	100	51,495,600	Oct. 1, '12	1½	Q	102⅞	103	102⅝	103	103	500
86½	25½	31	May 17	18	Nov. 19	19½	20	— 2	American Woolen Co.	100	20,000,000	....	..	..	22	22	19⅜	19⅜	25¼	300
96¼	85¼	94½	Mar. 21	79½	Nov. 19	79	81	— 2⅛	American Woolen Co. pf.	100	46,000,000	Oct. 15, '12	1¾	Q	81¾	81¾	81⅛	81⅛	87⅝	250
34½	24½	41⅜	May 2	25⅛	Jan. 25	31	31¼	— ⅛	American Writing Paper pf.	100	12,500,000	Oct. 1, '12	1	SA	31	31	31	31	25	100
41⅜	29	48	Oct. 2	34	Feb. 1	39¼	39⅝	— ⅝	Anaconda Copper Mining Co.	25	108,312,500	Oct. 16, '12	75c	Q	39½	39⅝	39	39¼	37⅞	5,900
116⅝	99⅝	111⅜	Oct. 4	103¼	Feb. 1	105	105¼	— ⅞	Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe	100	173,295,000	Dec. 2, '12	1½	Q	106	106¼	105	105⅛	106½	2,450
105½	100⅝	104¼	Feb. 10	101⅝	Jan. 2	102¼	102½	— ½	Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe pf.	100	114,199,500	Aug. 1, '12	2½	SA	102	102½	102	102½	101⅝	800
139¼	117	148½	Aug. 12	131	Dec. 28	130⅝	131½	— 1	Atlantic Coast Line	100	61,232,100	July 10, '12	3½	SA	131½	131½	131	131	134	900
..	..	3½	Dec. 21	3⅛	Dec. 21	..	..	..	Atlantic Coast Line rights	..	....	....	..	..	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛	..	100
..	..	60⅜	Aug. 30	49	Dec. 10	51	52¼	— ⅛	BALDWIN LOCOMOTIVE WORKS	100	20,000,000	July 1, '12	1	SA	51	51⅞	51	51⅞	..	200
107	103¼	108⅝	June 17	102⅝	Feb. 2	103⅞	104¼	— ⅝	Baldwin Locomotive Works pf.	100	20,000,000	July 1, '12	3½	SA	104	104	104	104	103¼	100
109⅝	93½	111⅞	Apr. 30	101¼	Feb. 1	104⅝	104¾	+ ⅛	Baltimore & Ohio	100	152,314,800	Sep. 3, '12	3	SA	104⅞	104⅞	104½	104⅝	103⅝	2,850
38½	26	51⅝	Oct. 2	27⅜	Feb. 27	38½	39	+ 1½	Bethlehem Steel Corporation	100	14,862,000	....	..	..	37¼	39¼	36⅞	39	31¼	4,400
66⅜	54	80	Sep. 23	56½	Feb. 27	67½	68½	+ 2½	Bethlehem Steel Corporation pf.	100	14,908,000	Feb. 1, '07	¾	..	67	69	67	68½	60⅞	1,000
84⅝	72	94½	July 2	76¾	Jan. 2	91½	91⅝	+ 2⅝	Brooklyn Rapid Transit	100	45,000,000	Oct. 1, '12	1¼	Q	88⅜	93	88⅜	91½	76⅞	26,550
31	28	40½	Apr. 30	28	Nov. 26	28⅜	29½	— ⅜	Butterick Co.	100	14,647,200	Dec. 2, '12	¾	Q	29	29	28⅞	28⅞	30	200
..	..	72½	Oct. 5	49¼	Dec. 18	53	58½	— 1¼	CALIFORNIA PETROLEUM	100	10,572,900	....	..	..	54¼	55	52⅞	53¼	..	7,700
..	..	95½	Oct. 7	84½	Dec. 13	84½	87	..	California Petroleum pf.	100	10,100,000	....	..	..	84½	85	84½	85	..	300
68	62	67⅝	Feb. 21	65	Jan. 31	..	69	— 1	Canada Southern	100	15,000,000	Aug. 1, '12	1¼	SA	65	65	65	65	..	100
247	195⅝	283	Aug. 15	226½	Mar. 4	258	258½	— 2⅛	Canadian Pacific	100	198,163,200	Oct. 1, '12	2½	Q	259¼	261	257¼	258¼	242	10,100
..	..	21	Nov. 21	18¼	Dec. 14	..	..	— ⅛	Canadian Pacific rights	..	....	....	..	..	19⅝	19⅝	19⅛	19⅛	..	700
33⅜	18⅜	33⅝	Sep. 24	16½	Feb. 27	28¼	28½	— ⅝	Central Leather Co.	100	39,582,500	....	..	..	28¼	29⅛	28⅛	28⅛	21	1,200
86⅜	68⅝	85¼	Oct. 3	68¼	Feb. 1	78⅛	78½	— ⅝	Chesapeake & Ohio	100	62,793,700	Sep. 30, '12	1¼	Q	79	79¼	78⅛	78⅛	78⅞	1,500
25¼	17¼	20⅝	Oct. 26	15⅝	Dec. 24	16	16½	— 1	Chicago Great Western	100	45,155,200	....	..	..	16⅛	16½	15⅝	16	18⅜	8,250
49¼	35½	39½	Apr. 8	30¼	Dec. 26	30½	31	— ½	Chicago Great Western pf.	100	40,998,200	....	..	..	31	31	30⅝	31	35½	710
133½	105⅝	117⅞	Nov. 7	99⅝	July 13	111⅝	111¾	— ⅝	Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul	100	116,348,200	Sep. 3, '12	2½	SA	112¼	112⅝	111⅝	111⅝	109⅞	2,820
155½	141	146	Jan. 2	139¼	Dec. 12	139	140	..	Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul pf.	100	116,274,900	Sep. 3, '12	3½	SA	139¼	140	139¼	140	145	40
150½	138⅛	145	Apr. 28	134½	Dec. 11	135½	136½	— ½	Chicago & Northwestern	100	130,121,700	Oct. 1, '12	1¾	Q	136¼	136⅜	135⅜	136½	143	1,800
27½	16½	50⅜	Nov. 8	25	Jan. 15	43⅝	44	— ¼	Chino Copper	5	3,887,090	....	..	..	43⅞	44⅜	43⅜	43⅜	26½	7,885
36⅝	25	43⅜	Sep. 26	23½	Feb. 28	33⅝	34	— ¼	Colorado Fuel & Iron	100	34,235,500	Apr. 15, '02	1¾	..	33½	34	33½	33½	26½	300
60	43	45	Feb. 2	32⅛	Dec. 13	32	34	— 1½	Colorado Southern	100	30,845,000	Dec. 31, '11	2	A	32½	32½	32½	32½	..	100
148½	128⅜	149⅛	Aug. 12	135⅝	Dec. 12	139¼	142	— 1	Consolidated Gas Co.	100	99,788,400	Dec. 16, '12	1½	Q	141	141	140	140	139	250
15⅝	9⅝	22½	Oct. 19	10	Jan. 16	13⅞	14¼	— ½	Corn Products Refining Co.	100	49,777,300	....	..	..	14⅜	14⅜	13⅞	14	10¼	1,550
85	73	89½	Oct. 18	75	Dec. 10	75½	77	+ ⅝	Corn Products Refining Co. pf.	100	29,826,900	Oct. 15, '12	1¼	Q	75⅝	75⅝	75½	75½	78	200
..	..	100¼	Dec. 12	99⅝	Dec. 27	99⅝	100	..	DEERE & CO. pf.	100	37,828,500	Dec. 2, '12	1¾	Q	99⅝	99⅞	99⅝	99⅞	..	800
174⅞	159¼	175½	Feb. 6	162	Dec. 18	163	165¼	+ 2	Delaware & Hudson	100	42,503,000	Dec. 20, '12	2¼	Q	166	166	166	166	168	200
570	505	597	Dec. 18	530	Aug. 23	578	580	..	Delaware, Lackawanna & Western	50	30,277,000	Dec. 20, '12	10	Ex	580	585	579⅞	580	540	1,764
35	17⅝	24	Mar. 27	18⅛	July 12	19¼	21	— 1¼	Denver & Rio Grande	100	38,000,000	....	..	..	19⅝	19⅝	19⅛	19⅛	19⅝	200
74	36⅜	46¼	Jan. 24	34¼	June 19	38⅜	39¼	— 1⅝	Denver & Rio Grande pf.	100	49,778,400	Jan. 15, '11	2½	..	38⅜	38⅜	38⅜	38⅜	40½	200
75½	66½	75	Aug. 1	61¼	Apr. 2	74	76	+ 1⅞	Detroit United Railway	100	12,500,000	Dec. 2, '12	1¼	Q	73	74	73	74	..	810
38⅛	29	36¼	Aug. 21	20	Dec. 10	21	22	..	Distillers' Securities Corporation	100	30,815,300	Oct. 31, '12	½	..	21	21½	20⅞	21½	30⅝	8,110
30⅛	17⅛	23	May 15	14	Dec. 10	14	16	+ 1½	Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic pf.	100	10,000,000	....	..	..	15⅛	15½	15⅛	15½	17½	100
38⅝	27¼	39⅜	Apr. 8	30	Dec. 18	31⅝	32	— ⅛	ERIE	100	112,378,900	....	..	..	31¼	32⅝	31¼	31⅝	31½	6,200
61¼	45⅝	57⅞	Apr. 11	47½	Dec. 16	49	49¾	— ½	Erie 1st pf.	100	47,892,400	Feb. 29, '07	2	..	49⅝	49⅝	49	49	52	1,200
168⅝	142	188½	July 25	155	Jan. 2	184⅜	185	— ⅛	GENERAL ELECTRIC CO.	100	77,786,200	Oct. 15, '12	2	Q	183½	184⅞	183	184⅞	153	1,625
51⅝	35	42⅞	Sep. 3	30	Feb. 26	32	34	— 2	General Motors	100	15,587,900	....	..	..	32	32	32	32	35½	100
86⅝	74¼	82⅝	Sep. 3	70¼	May 3	76¼	78	— ¼	General Motors pf.	100	13,969,400	Nov. 1, '12	3½	SA	77⅞	77⅞	77⅝	77⅝	76	100
7⅞	3⅜	5	Mar. 18	1⅝	Dec. 5	2	2⅛	— ⅛	Goldfield Consolidated Mines	10	35,591,480	Oct. 31, '12	30c	..	2⅛	2⅛	2	2	4¼	1,800
..	..	81	Sep. 9	60¼	Dec. 11	64	66	— ⅝	Goodrich (B. F.) Co.	100	60,000,000	Nov. 15, '12	1	Q	65	65	63⅝	64	..	675
140	119	143⅝	Aug. 10	126	Jan. 11	129½	129⅝	— 3	Great Northern pf.	100	209,990,100	Nov. 1, '12	1¾	Q	134½	134½	129⅝	129¾	127	18,060
..	..	2½	Dec. 23	2⅜	Dec. 24	..	..	..	Great Northern rights	100	....	....	..	..	2⅜	2½	2⅜	2⅜	..	7,683
68⅜	33⅜	53	Sep. 23	26	Jan. 31	40	41	— 1½	Great Northern ctfs. for ore prop.	..	1,500,000	Dec. 27, '12	50c	..	42	42	40½	40½	42⅝	1,600
..	..	62⅜	June 14	47	Dec. 12	51	51½	+ ⅝	Guggenheim Exploration	25	18,124,600	Oct. 1, '12	62½c	Q	51⅞	51⅞	51⅞	51⅞	..	100
87½	81⅜	111	Dec. 20	86¼	Mar. 9	105	112	..	HOMESTAKE MINING	100	21,840,000	Dec. 26, '12	50c	M	110	110	110	110	87	85
147	132	141⅛	Jan. 23	120⅝	May 9	126	127	— ¼	ILLINOIS CENTRAL	100	109,296,000	Aug. 8, '12	3½	SA	127	127	126½	127	140¼	600
..	..	21⅛	Oct. 10	16⅝	Dec. 16	17¾	18	— ¼	Inspiration Consolidated Copper	20	14,458,860	....	..	..	18	18¼	17⅝	18¼	..	400
20⅝	18⅛	22	July 2	16¼	Dec. 12	18⅛	18⅜	— ½	Interborough-Metropolitan vot. tr. ctfs.	100	60,419,500	....	..	..	18½	19½	18	18½	16⅞	15,350
56⅝	39¾	67⅞	Oct. 15	53⅜	Jan. 3	63⅜	63½	+ 1¼	Interborough-Metropolitan pf.	100	16,955,900	....	..	..	62¾	65	61⅜	63	53¼	20,800
..	..	99	June 27	89	Dec. 18	91	92	+ 1	International Agricultural pf.	100	12,955,600	July 15, '12	3½	SA	92	92	92	92	..	162
129⅝	99⅛	126⅞	Sep. 10	105¼	Feb. 1	111	111½	— 2	International Harvester	100	78,103,200	Oct. 15, '12	1¼	Q	113½	113⅝	111	111	108	1,367
128¼	115	121⅞	Apr. 15	113½	Nov. 26	113⅝	115	+ ⅞	International Harvester pf.	100	58,476,300	Dec. 2, '12	1¾	Q	115	115	115	115	120	120
13⅜	9	19⅜	May 23	9⅝	Jan. 17	12½	13	..	International Paper Co.	100	17,442,900	....	..	..	12⅝	13	12½	12⅞	9¾	1,900
56⅝	44⅝	62⅞	May 22	45⅞	Jan. 3	47½	50	— 2⅞	International Paper Co. pf.	100	22,539,700	Oct. 15, '12	½	Q	49	49⅝	47⅞	47⅞	45½	1,350
44	23	34	Jan. 2	17	Dec. 10	18¼	19½	..	International Steam Pump Co.	100	17,762,500	Apr. 1, '05	½	..	19½	19½	19	19	..	400
90½	80	84⅝	Apr. 8	70	Dec. 28	69½	70	— 8	International Steam Pump Co. pf.	100	11,850,000	Nov. 1, '12	1½	Q	70	70	70	70	..	100
37⅝	25¼	31¼	Sep. 30	22½	May 29	26⅛	26½	— ¼	KANSAS CITY SOUTHERN	100	30,000,000	....	..	..	26⅜	26⅜	26⅜	26⅜	28	200
..	..	109	Oct. 24	107	Dec. 12	107	110	+ 1½	Kayser & Co. 1st pf. (Julius)	100	2,900,000	Nov. 1, '12	1¾	Q	108	108½	107½	108½	..	400
..	..	105½	Oct. 2	100	Oct. 30	99	101½	..	Kresge (S. S.) Co. pf.	100	1,776,000	....	..	..	100⅝	100⅝	100⅝	100⅝	..	25
48	30	55½	Sep. 30	29	Mar. 21	47½	48	..	LACKAWANNA STEEL CO.	100	34,978,000	....	..	..	48	48	48	48	30	800
114½	101¼	108⅜	Jan. 4	102⅛	Dec. 20	103	103½	+ ⅝	Laclede Gas Co.	100	9,500,000	Dec. 16, '12	1¾	Q	102⅞	102⅞	102⅞	102⅞	107	100
40	25	40	May 21	30	Jan. 8	34	36	..	Lake Erie & Western pf.	100	11,840,000	Jan. 15, '08	1	..	35	35	35	35	..	100
..	..	185⅝	Jan. 15	155⅞	Feb. 5	166	166½	— ⅝	Lehigh Valley	50	60,501,700	July 18, '12	5	SA	172	172	165½	166⅛	180¼	24,700
..	..	225	Oct. 18	156⅞	Jan. 15	209	213	— 2½	Liggett & Myers	100	21,496,400	Dec. 2, '12	3	Q	210	210	210	210	..	200
63	45	54½	Jan. 26	43½	Feb. 13	43	48	+ ½	Long Island	50	12,000,000	Nov., 1896	1	..	45	45	45	45	..	100
..	..	47½	July 26	36	Dec. 12	38½	39	— 1⅛	Loose-Wiles Biscuit Co.	100	8,000,000	....	..	Q	39½	39½	38⅜	38⅜	..	500
..	..	105⅝	Nov. 16	102½	Oct. 14	103⅜	104	— ¼	Loose-Wiles Biscuit Co. 1st pf.	100	5,000,000	Oct. 1, '12	1¾	Q	103⅜	103⅜	103	103	..	200
..	..	92⅜	Oct. 14	90	July 22	91	93½	+ 1⅞	Loose-Wiles Biscuit Co. 2d pf.	100	2,000,000	Nov. 1, '12	1¾	Q	91½	92	91½	92	..	200
160⅝	136½	170	Aug. 14	138	Dec. 16	140	141	..	Louisville & Nashville	100	60,000,000	Aug. 10, '12	3½	SA	140⅝	141	140⅝	141	155¼	700
142½	131¼	138⅜	Mar. 13	128⅞	Dec. 20	128	130	+ ⅛	MANHATTAN ELEVATED gtd.	100	55,815,100	Oct. 1, '12	1¾	Q	129	129	129	129	135	100
87	70	88	Oct. 7	69	Apr. 11	75	76½	— 1	May Department Stores	100	15,000,000	Dec. 1, '12	1¾	Q	76¼	76¼	75½	75½	71	800
5⅝	3¼	7⅞	Mar. 29	4	Mar. 7	4⅝	4⅝	..	Mercantile Marine	100	49,921,800	....	..	..	4½	4½	4½	4½	5	800
..	..	90½	Oct. 17	62⅜	Apr. 20	73	73¼	— ⅜	Mexican Petroleum	100	12,474,100	Nov. 24, '12	1	Q	73½	74¼	72⅜	73⅜	..	8,125
..	..	104	Nov. 21	99	Dec. 18	98	100	..	Mexican Petroleum pf.	100	2,838,200	Dec. 1, '12	⅔	M	99⅞	99⅞	99⅞	99⅞	..	10
24¼	16⅝	30¼	Sep. 25	23⅛	Feb. 14	25⅝	25½	— ⅜	Miami Copper	5	3,724,085	Nov. 15, '12	50c	Q	26	26	25½	25½	24	1,800
42½	21½	27¼	Jan. 23	18⅛	July 24	22½	23½	— ⅜	Minneapolis & St. Louis	100	10,639,400	July 15, '04	2½	..	28	28	28	28	..	150
68½	35	51½	Sep. 23	44⅞	Mar. 28	45½	48	..	Minneapolis & St. Louis pf.	100	5,610,700	Jan. 15, '10	2½	..	46	46	46	46	58¼	100
152¼	124⅜	154½	Aug. 12	129	Feb. 3	138	139	..	Minneapolis, St. P. & S. S. Marie	100	25,206,800	Oct. 15, '12	3½	SA	139	140	138⅞	139	135	950
38⅛	27	31⅝	Mar. 20	25½	Dec. 12	26½	26⅞	— ½	Missouri, Kansas & Texas	100	63,300,300	....	..	..	26⅜	26½	26⅜	26½	29	600
70	62⅜	66	Apr. 17	57⅞	May 29	61	63	+ 1	Missouri, Kansas & Texas pf.	100	13,000,000	Nov. 9, '12	2	SA	61	61	61	61	64⅞	150
63	33¼	47⅞	Mar. 27	35	July 13	40⅝	40⅞	— 1⅜	Missouri Pacific	100	83,112,500	Jan. 30, '08	2½	..	41½	42	40½	40⅝	39½	7,100
143⅝	117¼	161	Apr. 30	114	Dec. 10	123⅛	127½	+ 1⅛	NATIONAL BISCUIT CO.	100	29,236,000	Oct. 15, '12	1¾	Q	125	125⅛	124⅞	125⅛	141⅝	800
100⅝	85	95½	Jan. 2	88	Feb. 27	82	91	— 1½	National Enameling & Stamping Co. pf.	100	8,546,600	Sep. 30, '12	1¾	Q	90	90	90	90	94⅞	100
59	42½	68¼	Oct. 7	51⅛	Jan. 8	55⅝	56¼	— 1⅜	National Lead Co.	100	20,750,000	Sep. 30, '12	¾	Q	55½	56	55½	55½	54½	500
109⅝	104	110⅝	Nov. 20	105½	Feb. 1	105	108½	..	National Lead Co. pf.	100	24,463,600	Dec. 16, '12	1¾	Q	107	107	107	107	106	100
72⅝	60	71	Jan. 4	62⅛	Oct. 7	63	66	— ⅜	National Railways of Mexico 1st pf.	100	28,831,000	Aug. 10, '12	2	SA	63½	63½	63	63	..	200
38⅜	25⅞	36⅞	Jan. 20	26⅜	Oct. 18	27	27½	— ¼	National Railways of Mexico 2d pf.	100	124,500,500	....	..	..	27¼	27½	27¼	27½	35⅜	900
21¼	15⅛	24⅛	Sep. 30	18¼	Jan. 29	19	19⅛	— ½	Nevada Consolidated Copper Co.	5	9,997,285	Sep. 30, '12	37½c	Q	19¼	19½	19	19	19⅝	2,000
76	45	85	Nov. 18	50	Feb. 17	74	77½	+ 2	New York Air Brake	100	10,000,000	Dec. 16, '12	1½	Q	78	78	78	78	..	340
115½	99⅞	121½	Apr. 25	106⅛	Dec. 16	107½	107¾	— ⅞	New York Central	100	222,729,300	Oct. 15, '12	1¼	Q	108¼	108½	107¼	107⅞	108	2,703
151⅛	126⅞	142¼	Apr. 1	126	Dec. 11	126½	128¼	— 2½	New York, New Haven & Hartford	100	179,708,600	Sep. 30, '12	2	Q	130½	130½	128	128	136⅞	1,000
46⅞	37⅜	41⅜	Apr. 12	29⅞	June 1	31	32	— ⅝	New York, Ontario & Western	100	58,113,900	Aug. 14, '11	2	..	31⅝	31⅝	31⅜	31⅜	38	250
111¼	99⅜	119¼	Aug. 12	107⅞	Feb. 1	112½	112⅝	— ½	Norfolk & Western	100	98,157,100	Dec. 19, '12	1½	Q	113	113	112½	112½	108⅝	300
91¼	85⅜	92	Feb. 17	88	June 12	85	91	— 2⅞	Norfolk & Western pf.	100	23,000,000	Nov. 18, '12	1	Q	88⅝	88⅝	88⅝	88⅝	..	100
76⅜	64	87⅞	Aug. 21	74½	Jan. 8	79	80¼	— 1½	North American	100	29,779,700	Oct. 1, '12	1¼	Q	79	79	79	79	75¼	100
137⅞	110⅜	131½	Aug. 14	115⅝	Jan. 11	120	120½	— 1¼	Northern Pacific	100	247,998,300	Nov. 1, '12	1¾	Q	121	121⅜	120⅛	120⅛	118½	6,150
..	..	110	Apr. 6	106⅞	Dec. 20	105¼	109	..	PABST BREWING CO. pf.	100	2,000,000	Dec. 15, '12	1¾	Q	106⅞	106⅞	106⅞	106⅞	..	100
33⅜	23¼	38	Sep. 30	28⅜	Dec. 12	29	31¼	..	Pacific Mail	100	20,000,000	Dec. 1, '99	1	..	30⅝	31	30⅝	31	31¼	200
54⅝	35	55⅝	Apr. 25	45	Dec. 12	46	47½	+ ¼	Pacific Telephone & Telegraph	100	18,000,000	....	..	..	46½	46½	46½	46½	48⅜	610
130⅛	118⅜	126¼	May 2	119⅞	Dec. 11	121⅝	121¾	— ½	Pennsylvania Railroad	50	453,877,950	Nov. 30, '12	1½	Q	122⅛	122¼	121⅝	121⅝	123	4,085
109	101½	122½	Oct. 9	103	Jan. 8	114	114½	+ 1½	People's Gas, Chicago	100	35,000,000	Nov. 25, '12	1¾	Q	114	114½	114	114½	103⅝	600
..	..	18⅛	Oct. 10	12¼	Dec. 11	12	17	+ ⅝	Peoria & Eastern	100	10,000,000	....	..	..	13	13	13	13	..	200
..	..	98	Dec. 28	98	Dec. 28	97⅝	98½	..	Pettibone-Mulliken 1st pf.	100	1,310,500	Oct. 1, '12	1¾	Q	98	98	98	98	..	150
100	90⅛	111½	Aug. 15	98½	Jan. 2	100	105	+ 1⅜	Pitts., Cin., Chi. & St. Louis	100	37,173,800	Oct. 25, '12	1¼	Q	103	105½	103	105½	98¼	810
23¼	17	27¼	Aug. 14	16⅜	Feb. 28	23⅝	23¾	+ ¼	Pittsburgh Coal Co., N. J.	100	31,929,500	....	..	..	23¼	24¼	23¼	23⅝	18¼	3,000
90⅞	67⅜	100⅜	Aug. 14	77	Feb. 8	91⅞	92	+ 1⅜	Pittsburgh Coal Co., N. J., pf.	100	27,071,800	Oct. 25, '12	1¼	Q	90¼	92½	89½	92	83¼	5,810
..	..	118	Aug. 20	107⅜	Jan. 12	114	116	— ⅝	P. Lorillard Co. pf.	100	11,019,000	Oct. 1, '12	1¾	Q	115½	115½	115½	115½	..	100
120	108	120⅞	Aug. 13	108⅜	Feb. 17	117½	119½	— 1	Public Service Corporation, N. J.	100	25,000,000	Sep. 30, '12	1½	Q	117⅞	117⅞	117⅞	117⅞	108⅜	100
163	154	175	Aug. 21	158½	Feb. 2	163	165	+ 4¼	Pullman Co.	100	120,000,000	Nov. 15, '12	2	Q	164½	165	164½	164⅝	159	850
4½	2	8½	Apr. 29	3	Jan. 4	4	4½	..	QUICKSILVER	100	5,708,700	....	..	..	4	4	4	4	3½	160
39	26	40⅜	Sep. 25	27½	Feb. 8	33¼	35	— 2⅛	RAILWAY STEEL SPRING CO.	100	13,500,000	Oct. 22, '08	1	..	34	34	33¼	33¼	31	200
19	12	24⅛	Sep. 23	16	Jan. 29	21	21⅛	..	Ray Consolidated Copper	10	14,473,490	....	..	..	21	21⅝	20⅞	21	18⅝	3,000
161⅞	134	179¼	Apr. 29	148⅛	Jan. 11	166⅜	166½	— ⅞	Reading	50	70,000,000	Nov. 14, '12	1½	Q	167½	168⅜	165⅞	166⅜	151¼	81,100
101	90½	101½	Apr. 29	92½	Dec. 7	92	93	— 1½	Reading 2d pf.	50	42,000,000	Oct. 10, '12	1	Q	93⅞	93⅞	92½	92½	..	500
35¼	18	35⅛	Oct. 4	15⅞	Feb. 26	25½	26	— 1½	Republic Iron & Steel Co.	100	27,352,000	....	..	..	26⅞	26⅞	26	26	28¼	1,400
99⅝	74⅛	93⅝	Oct. 25	64½	Feb. 27	84⅝	85½	+ 1⅛	Republic Iron & Steel Co. pf.	100	25,000,000	Jan. 1, '12	1¾	..	85⅞	85⅞	85⅞	85⅞	84¼	100
34⅝	22⅝	30½	Apr. 8	22⅝	Dec. 9	23⅝	23¾	— ⅝	Rock Island Co.	100	90,882,200	....	..	..	23¼	23⅝	23⅜	23⅜	25	1,500
..	..	101	Nov. 14	89¼	Dec. 19	91	92	— ½	Rumely (M.) Co.	100	9,155,300	....	..	..	91	91	91	91	..	100
27	23	29½	Mar. 26	17½	Dec. 28	17½	18¼	— ½	ST. LOUIS & SAN FRANCISCO	100	29,000,000	....	..	..	18	18	17½	17½	28	200
69¼	59	69½	Mar. 23	59	Dec. 28	58	60	— 2	St. Louis & San Francisco 1st pf.	100	5,000,000	Nov. 1, '12	1	Q	60¼	60¼	59	59	67	500
49½	37	43⅝	Apr. 11	27⅝	Dec. 28	28	28¼	— 1⅝	St. Louis & San Francisco 2d pf.	100	16,000,000	Dec. 1, '05	1	..	30	30	27⅝	28⅝	40⅛	2,225
107⅛	107	110	Mar. 1	100¼	Dec. 28	100	104	— 3½	St. Louis & S. F., C. & E., stk. cfs. pf.	100	8,569,400	Oct. 1, '12	1½	Q	100¼	100½	100¼	100¼	..	100
34	24	40⅝	Oct. 4	29⅝	Jan. 22	34	35½	— 1	St. Louis Southwestern	100	16,356,200	....	..	..	35½	35½	35½	35½	..	200
..	..	27½	Apr. 4	18	Dec. 12	18¼	19	+ ½	Seaboard Air Line	100	33,041,700	....	..	..	18⅜	19	18⅜	19	..	200
..	..	56½	June 7	44⅜	Dec. 12	45⅛	45⅜	— ¼	Seaboard Air Line pf.	100	22,418,000	....	..	..	45½	45⅝	45½	45½	..	800
192	125½	221	Nov. 8	140	Jan. 15	210½	212½	+ 7½	Sears, Roebuck & Co.	100	40,000,000	Nov. 15, '12	1¾	Q	205	214½	204½	212	142⅝	2,520
126⅝	104½	115½	Apr. 8	103⅛	Dec. 21	104⅛	105⅛	+ ⅝	Southern Pacific	100	272,672,400	Oct. 1, '12	1½	Q	104⅝	106¼	104⅜	105⅛	111⅞	19,900
33⅝	24⅜	32	Sep. 30	26½	Jan. 31	27½	27⅞	..	Southern Railway extended	100	119,900,000	....	..	..	27⅞	28	27⅜	27⅞	28⅝	2,200
75¼	61¼	86⅞	Oct. 2	68⅞	Feb. 3	79⅝	80	— ¼	Southern Railway pf. extended	100	60,000,000	Oct. 28, '12	2½	SA	80	80⅛	79⅞	79⅞	70⅝	705
17⅞	15	36	Dec. 19	16¾	Jan. 19	34½	35¼	— ⅛	Standard Milling	100	4,600,000	Aug. 3, '12	2	..	35¼	35¼	35	35	..	400
58	50	66	Oct. 2	53	Jan. 18	65	65⅝	..	Standard Milling pf.	100	6,900,000	Oct. 31, '12	2½	SA	65⅝	66	65⅝	66	58	800
..	..	49½	Aug. 9	30	July 10	35	37	— 1	Studebaker Co.	100	27,931,600	....	..	..	35⅝	36	35	35	..	300
44	30¼	47¼	May 31	34¼	Feb. 1	37½	38⅝	..	TENNESSEE COPPER	25	5,000,000	Aug. 10, '12	$1	..	38⅝	38⅝	38	38	37½	400
136¼	74½	130⅝	Sep. 7	81	Jan. 16	108½	109½	— ⅜	Texas Co.	100	27,000,000	Sep. 30, '12	1½	Q	108⅜	110	108¼	108¼	..	1,950
30¼	19⅞	26½	Nov. 7	20¼	Jan. 3	22½	22⅞	..	Texas Pacific	100	38,760,000	....	..	..	22½	22½	22⅛	22¼	20¼	300
41	31	49⅜	Jan. 9	33½	Dec. 10	39⅛	39½	+ 2½	Third Avenue	100	16,225,000	....	..	..	37½	41⅝	36⅜	39⅝	40⅝	27,060
24⅝	12	16⅝	Mar. 27	10½	Dec. 24	11	12	+ ½	Toledo, St. Louis & Western	100	10,000,000	....	..	..	10⅛	12	10⅛	12	14	200
111	68	115⅝	June 28	95	Dec. 10	97	99	— ⅝	UNDERWOOD TYPEWRITER	100	8,500,000	Oct. 1, '12	1	Q	97⅝	97⅝	97	97⅛	101	400
9	4⅝	17⅞	May 15	4⅝	Jan. 5	7	7⅝	+ ⅝	Union Bag & Paper Co.	100	16,000,000	....	..	..	7	7⅝	7	7⅝	..	700
59½	50¼	67⅜	May 5	35½	Dec. 6	39½	41	..	Union Bag & Paper Co. pf.	100	11,000,000	Oct. 15, '12	1	Q	42	42	40	40	..	500
192⅝	153½	176⅜	Sep. 30	150⅜	Dec. 12	159⅜	159⅝	— ⅝	Union Pacific	100	216,647,400	Oct. 1, '12	2½	Q	159⅞	162	158⅝	159¼	171⅝	65,150
96	89	96½	Dec. 2	88¼	Oct. 31	91½	92⅝	..	Union Pacific pf.	100	99,569,300	Oct. 1, '12	2	SA	91⅝	93⅝	91⅝	92½	92	2,120
108	97¼	102⅝	July 17	97	Feb. 10	99½	100	+ ⅝	United Dry Goods	100	14,427,500	Nov. 1, '12	2	Q	99½	99⅝	99½	99⅝	100	200
40	28¼	39⅞	Dec. 4	28	July 11	35	37	+ ⅛	United Railways Investment Co.	100	20,400,000	....	..	..	36	36½	36	36¼	31¼	300
76¼	52	69⅝	Dec. 4	57	July 18	63	64	— ½	United Railways Investment Co. pf.	100	16,000,000	Jan. 10, '07	2½	..	64¼	64¼	63	64	59⅝	1,000
19	11	22⅛	May 16	13	Feb. 16	17	19	..	United States Cast Iron Pipe & Fdy. Co.	100	12,106,300	Dec. 1, '07	1	..	17½	17½	17½	17¼	16⅛	200
61	40½	64⅜	Oct. 18	50	Jan. 4	57½	60	+ ⅛	United States Cast Iron Pipe & F. Co. pf.	100	12,106,300	Oct. 15, '12	1	Q	58¼	58¼	58⅜	58⅜	50⅜	100
80	24	57⅝	Sep. 24	26	Jan. 31	42	48	— 1	United States Industrial Alcohol	100	12,000,000	....	..	..	48	48	43	43	..	100
97⅝	90	105	July 27	95	Jan. 5	98	104	— 1⅜	United States Industrial Alcohol pf.	100	6,000,000	Oct. 15, '12	1¾	Q	96¼	96½	96¼	96½	..	100
79⅝	65⅛	86½	July 18	67	Jan. 31	74½	75	+ ½	United States Realty & Improvement Co.	100	16,162,800	Nov. 1, '12	1¼	Q	74⅝	75	73½	75	69	700
4⅞	2	3⅛	May 16	1⅛	Mar. 4	1	2	+ ½	United States Reduction & Refining Co.	100	5,918,800	Apr. 1, '93	1	..	1¼	1⅜	1⅛	1⅜	..	100
14	10	10½	Apr. 10	3	Dec. 7	3	4	+ 1	United States Reduc. & Refining Co. pf.	100	3,954,800	Oct. 10, '07	1½	..	4	4	4	4	..	100
48⅞	30¼	67⅞	May 21	45¼	Feb. 1	63½	63⅝	— 1¼	United States Rubber Co.	100	30,000,000	Oct. 31, '12	1	Q	65⅛	65½	61⅞	63⅜	47⅝	8,690
115½	104	116	May 20	105⅝	July 25	106½	107	..	United States Rubber Co. 1st pf.	100	49,477,800	Oct. 31, '12	2	Q	107	107	107	107	110⅞	700
79	66	85½	May 21	75	Jan. 23	78½	79½	— ⅝	United States Rubber Co. 2d pf.	100	10,000,000	Oct. 31, '12	1½	Q	79	79	79	79	75	800
82⅜	50	80⅝	Sep. 30	58⅛	Feb. 13	66⅞	67	— 1	United States Steel Corporation	100	508,495,200	Dec. 30, '12	1¼	Q	68¼	69	66⅝	67	67¼	140,550
120⅞	103	117	Sep. 30	107¼	Dec. 10	109⅜	109⅝	— 1	United States Steel Corporation pf.	100	360,314,100	Nov. 29, '12	1¾	Q	110	110	109⅜	109⅝	111	4,206
57⅞	38	67½	Sep. 30	52½	Jan. 29	58	58⅛	— ½	Utah Copper	10	15,796,400	Sep. 30, '12	75c	Q	58¼	58⅝	57⅞	58	56	4,100
70⅝	43⅛	57¼	Jan. 26	40⅜	Dec. 10	42½	43	— 2⅛	VIRGINIA-CAROLINA CHEMICAL CO.	100	27,984,400	Aug. 15, '12	1½	SA	43	43⅛	42¼	42⅝	54¾	500
177	139	161	Jan. 3	116⅜	Nov. 14	125	130	— 3	WELLS FARGO EXPRESS CO.	100	23,967,300	July 15, '12	5	SA	126	126	126	126	148	162
66	48⅛	64¼	Mar. 25	45	Dec. 18	45⅝	47	— 2½	Western Maryland	100	49,429,600	....	..	..	47½	47⅝	46	46	60⅞	1,000
88⅜	75	81	Apr. 6	68	Dec. 18	66	69	..	Western Maryland pf.	100	10,000,000	Oct. 19, '12	1	Q	68	68	68	68	81	100
84½	71⅝	86¼	Jan. 18	72	Dec. 11	74¼	75¼	+ ⅝	Western Union Telegraph	100	99,745,000	Oct. 15, '12	¾	Q	74½	75⅝	74¼	74⅝	78½	1,800
79	58⅜	89⅜	Aug. 9	66¼	Jan. 3	78½	79	— 2	Westinghouse E. & M.	50	38,376,300	Oct. 30, '12	1	Q	79½	79⅝	78½	78½	66	700
123	110½	126	Aug. 8	114⅞	Jan. 5	119½	121½	— ½	Westinghouse E. & M. 1st pf.	50	3,998,700	Oct. 15, '12	1¾	Q	121½	121½	121½	121½	117½	300
17⅞	7	36¼	Oct. 8	11	Jan. 3	27	29	+ ⅝	Wheeling & Lake Erie 1st pf.	100	4,986,900	....	..	..	28¼	28½	28¼	28¼	10⅝	100
..	..	114⅞	Oct. 2	93¼	July 25	108	108⅛	+ 1⅜	Woolworth (F. W.) Co.	100	50,000,000	Dec. 2, '12	1	Q	109	109	108⅜	108⅜	..	900

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DIVIDEND and interest periods are indicated as follows: M—Monthly; B—Bi-Monthly; Q—Quarterly; S—Semi-Annual; A—Annual; V—No information at hand. *Sells dollars per share. †And interest. ‡Including extra dividend. §Amount authorized. ††Sells flat. ¶Special. xEx dividend.

STREET RAILWAY AND ELECTRIC COMPANIES.

SECURITIES.	Amount Outstanding.	Dividend. Per C't.	Period	Date.	Quotation Dec. 28, 1912. Bid.	Asked.
Adirond. El. P..	$9,500,000	..	..	....	19	21
Do preferred	2,500,000				60	63
Albany So. 5s..	1,302,000	2½	S	M. & S.	94	99
A. G. & E. ($50)	2,500,000	1¾	Q	Jan. 2, 13	81	85
Do pf. ($50)..	1,537,500	1½	Q	Feb. 1, 13	45½	47½
Am. Pow. & Lt.	5,631,400	..	..	....	66	68
Do 6% cum.pf	5,631,400	1½	Q	Jan. 2, 13	83½	84¾
Do opt. warr.	1,604,000	..	..		13	15
Do 6% notes,'21	2,199,100	3	S	F. & A.	99	100
Appalach. Pow.	6,000,000	..	..	....	25	26
Do preferred	2,180,000	..	..	....	75	76½
Ariz. Power...	3,000,000	..	..	....	12	18
Do preferred	850,000	..	..	....	50	55
Asheville L. & P. 1st s. f. 5s, '42	1,100,000	2½	S	A. & O.	93	96
Aub. & Syr. El. R. R., tax ex.	1,460,000	2½	S	A. & O.	98	100
Aug.-Aik. R. & E. s. f. 5s, '35	2,588,000	2½	S	J. & D.	90	94
Do pf. stock	1,500,000	1½	Q	Jan. 1, 13	75	85
Do common..	2,250,000	..	..	....	23	35
Aug. Ry. & El. 1st 5s of '40...	967,000	5	S	J. & D.	100	..
Au. E. & C. R. R. 1st 5s, '41	3,000,000	5	S	A. & O.	100½	101½
Balt. Co. Water & Elec. 5s, '46	908,000	2½	S	M. & N.	95½	97½
Ben. Har.-St. J. 1st 5s, '35....	610,000	2½	S	M. & N.	92	95
Birmingham R., L. & P. Co. 4½s	8,720,000	2¼	S	A. & O.	90	91½
Do ref.ex.6s,'57	2,000,000	3	S	M. & N.	102½	104
Buf. Cr't'n 1st5s	2,974,000	2½	S	M. & N.	104	104¾
Buff. Gen. El.5s	2,375,000	2½	S	F. & A.	102	102¾
Buff. & Lacka. 1st 5s of '28...	1,000,000	2½	S	J. & D.	90	96
B. & L. E.5s,'36	7,066,000	2½	S	M. & N.	49	51
B. & Lockp. 5s..	500,000	2½	S	J. & J.	99	100
B. & N. Falls E. L.& P.1st5s,'42	500,000	2½	S	F. & A.	99	100
Butte E.&P.Co. 1st 5s, '51...	4,283,000	2½	S	J. & D.	95	97¼
Cal. Elec. Gen. Co. pf........	600,000	1½	Q	Oct. 1, 12	77	80
Capital Trac...	12,000,000	1¼	Q	Jan. 1, 13	122½	125
Do 1st 5s,'47	5,680,000	2½	S	J. & D.	109¾	110½
Cent. Ark. & E. 1st 5s, '40.....	1,085,000	2½	S	J. & J.	96	97½
Central Maine Power 1st 5s..	1,923,000	5	S	M. & N.	97	99
Cent. Mex. L. & P. pf.	1,250,000	..	..	....	65	70
Do 6s, 1940..	1,800,000	3	S	J. & J.	89	93½
Chas. City Ry. 5s, 1923	750,000	2½	S	J. & J.	104	105
Chi.-Terre H. & S. E. 1st 5s...	3,100,000	2½	S	J. & D.	..	98
Citz. L.H.& P.5s	1,500,000	2½	S	M. & N.	99	101
Clev. El.R 5s,'13	4,651,000	2½	S	M. & N.	99	..
Clevel'd Ry. 1st 5s, '31	5,849,000	2½	S	M. & S.	101	102
Col. Spgs. El.1st 5s, '20	......	..	..	....	97	100
Col. Spgs. L. & P. 1st 5s, '19..	......	..	..	....	97	100
Colum. R., G. & E. 1st 5s, '36..	2,454,000	2½	S	J. & J.	93	95
Do common..	2,000,000	..	..	....	60	..
Do preferred	840,000	1½	Q	Jan. 1, 13	85	95
Conn. R. & L. 1st 4½s, 1951, st. red'm'ble..	10,682,000	2¼	S	J. & J.	99	101
Do unstamp..	1,709,000	2¼	S	J. & J.	99	..
Con. Gas, E.L.& P. (Balt.) 4½s	11,564,000	2¼	S	J. & J.	87	87¾
Con. Tr. of N.J.	15,000,000	2	S	Jan 15, 13	76	77
Do 1st 5s, '33.	15,000,000	2½	S	J. & D.	102¾	103¾
Consum. El. & P. 5s, '36......	1,461,000	2½	S	J. & J.	100	..
Consum. Power (Mich.) 5s, '36	8,407,000	2½	S	J. & J.	95½	97½
C. Pow. (Minn.) 1st 5s, '29.....	9,528,000	2½	S	M. & N.	89	92
Dallas El. Corp. 5s, '22	3,659,000	2½	S	A. & O.	95½	97½
El. B. & S. pf..	3,500,000	1½	Q	Nov 1, 12	99¾b	101b
E.St.L. & Sub.pf	7,000,000	1¼	Q	F.M.A.N	..	..
Do coll.tr.5s,'32	8,000,000	2½	S	A. & O.	..	96
Economy L.&P. 1st mtg. 5s,'56	1,889,000	2½	S	J. & D.	98	100
Elec. Util. Cor.	2,500,000	2	S	J. & J.	84	..
Do preferred	1,500,000	1¼	Q	Jan 15, 13	81	88
El Paso E.5s,'32	1,000,000	2½	S	J. & J.	97	99
Emp. Dis. El.5s	1,925,000	2½	S	M. & N.	84	88
Erie & Sub. Ry. 5s, '41	970,000	2½	S	A. & O.	85	90
Exc. Spgs. W., G. & E. 1st 6s	218,000	3	S	J. & D.	98	100
Fed. L. & T. Co	4,750,000	..	..	....	83½	87
Do preferred	2,500,000	1½	Q	Nov 30,12	83	86
Ft. Smith L. & T. pf........	1,410,000	1¾	Q	Oct 15, 12	92½b	95b
Ft. Worth P. & Lt. 1st 5s.....	1,500,000	2½	S	F. & A.	96½	98
Gas & El.Sec.Co	1,000,000	..	..	....	135	150
Do preferred	1,000,000	7	A	Monthly	92	96
Ga.Lt.,P. & Rys	6,000,000	..	..	....	..	..
Do 1st 5s, '41	2,835,000	2½	S	M. & S.	..	83¾
Guanaj.P. & E.	3,500,000	..	..	....	80	88
Do preferred	1,500,000	1½	Q	Nov 1, 12	70	75
Do 6s, '32....	1,425,000	3	S	A. & O.	92½	95
Hamburg Ry.4s of '26	650,000	2	S	M. & N.	83	86
Harwood El. 5s, '39	1,000,000	2½	S	J. & J.	101	102
Ind. Un. Trac. 1st 5s	1,620,000	2½	S	A. & O.	83	85½
Int. Ry. of Buf. Buf. Div.5s,'31	4,706,000	2½	S	F. & A.	104	105
Do deb.6s,'17	1,000,000	3	S	M. & S.	104½	106
L.&O.Div.1st5s	800,000	3	S	M. & S.	..	98
B.&L.Div.1st5s	500,000	2½	S	J. & J.	99	100
B.&N.FD.1st5s	750,000	2½	S	J. & D.	..	105
Int. Trac. 4s,'49 receipts	18,315,000	2	S	J. & J.	70¼	71
J. C., H. & P.4s	14,061,000	2	S	M. & N.	78¾	79
Joplin & Pit.Ry. 5s, 1930	1,750,000	2½	S	M. & S.	95½	97½
Kan. C. R. & L.	9,543,080	..	..	....	18	20
Do preferred	9,407,500	1¼	Q	Mar 1, 11	38	40
Do 1st l.r. 5s	10,200,000	2½	S	M. & N.	89	90
Do cv. 6s, '12	5,478,000	3	S	M. & N.	87	90
K. C. Belt L. 6s	2,500,000	3	S	J. & J.	104	105
K. C. Elv. 4s,'22	2,000,000	2	S	J. & J.	75	78
Kan. C. West.5s	1,650,000	2½	S	M. & S.	84	85
K.C. Met. St.Ry. cn.ex.1st 5s,'13	7,243,000	2½	S	M. & N.	94	96
K. C. & Westpt. 1st 5s, 1926	500,000	2½	S	J. & J.	91	93
Kan. G. & E. pf	1,500,000	1¾	Q	Oct. 1, 12	97½b	100b
Do 5s of '22	2,949,000	2½	S	M. & S.	95	98
Leav'nw'h L.,H. & P. 5s.......	675,000	2½	S	M. & S.	92	96
Lit. Rock Ry. & El. 1st 5s, '33	1,959,000	2½	S	A. & O.	103½	..
L. Rock H. S. & W. R.R. 4s,'39	1,140,000	4	S	J. & J.	83¾	..
Lockport G. & E. 5s of '20...	800,000	2½	S	F. & A.	97	100
Do L., H. & P. 5s, '33..	409,000	2½	S	J. & J.	91	95
Los A.G. & E.5s	4,698,000	2½	S	M. & S.	97	99
Met. El. (Reading) 5s of '39	2,000,000	2½	S	A. & O.	99	100
Min.St.Ry.6s,'18	600,000	3	S	M. & N.	103¼	104¾
Mobile Elec. pf	852,000	1¾	Q	Nov 15,12	92½b	95b
Do 1st 6s, '46	1,696,000	2	S	M. & N.	90	92½
Muskogee G. & E. pf.	1,438,500	2¼	S	J. & D.	95b	97¼b
Do 1st 5s, '26	1,058,000	2½	S	J. & D.	98	101
Nat. L. H. & P. col. tr. 5s,'19,B	500,000	2½	S	J. & J.	98	100
Nat. L., H. & P. col. tr. 5s,'20,C	455,000	2½	S	J. & D.	98	100
N. Y. & Q. E. L. & P. 1st 5s...	2,350,000	2½	S	F. & A.	99	101
N. F. Pow.5s,'32	10,000,000	2½	S	Jul 15, 12	101¼	102¼
Niag., L. & O.P. 5s, '54	4,850,000	2½	S	M. & N.	89	92
N.Y.& Westch'r LtgG M4s,2004	10,000,000	2	S	J. & J.	82½	85
Do deb. 5s,'54	2,500,000	2½	S	J. & J.	101	102½
N.Hud.Co Ry.5s	1,291,000	2½	S	M. & N.	98	100
Nor. Jersey Ry. 1st 4s, 1948...	15,000,000	2	S	M. & N.	78	80½
N. O. Ry. & Lt. 4½s of '35...	17,544,000	2¼	S	J. & J.	86	87½
N. Ont. L. & P.	4,585,000	V	V	V	16	20
Do preferred	2,400,000	‡	V	Dec 31, 12	60	63
Do 1st 6s, '31	4,700,000	3	S	J. & J.	88	92
Nor. St. Power.	5,975,000	..	..	....	23½	24
Do preferred	8,386,700	1¾	Q	Oct 15, 12	86	88
Nor. Tex. Tr. 5s	2,500,000	2½	S	J. & J.	100	102
Okla. Ry. 5s....	2,680,000	2½	S	J. & J.	92½	94½
Om. & C. B. St. Ry. 1st 5s, '28	7,362,000	2½	S	J. & J.	96	99
Ont. P. stock...	8,509,000	2½	S	J. & J.	83	85
Ontario Pow. 5s	8,566,000	2½	S	F. & A.	94⅛	94½
Do deb. 6s,'21	3,000,000	3	S	J. & J.	94½	95½
Ont. Transmis. 1st 5s, 1945	1,838,000	2½	S	M. & N.	91½	92½
O. & C. B. Ry. & B. 1st 5s, '28	1,729,000	2½	S	J. & J.	96	99
Oreg. Elec. Ry.	2,000,000	2½	S	M. & N.	98	100
Ottum. R.&L.pf	850,000	1¾	Q	Oct 15, 12	92½b	95b
Do 1st 5s, '24	1,044,000	2½	S	J. & J.	90	92½
Pac. L. & P. 5s, '51	10,000,000	2½	S	M. & S.	96	100
Portland (Ore.) Ry. 1st 5s, '30	8,523,000	2½	S	M. & N.	101	101½
Port. R. L. & P. 5% notes,'14	4,273,000	2½	S	M. & N.	98¼	99¼
Port. Gen. El.5s	8,000,000	2½	S	J. & J.	100	102
Prescott G. & E 1st 6s, '40....	250,000	3	S	J. & J.	90	92½
Pub. S. Cor.ctfs	19,970,440	1½	Q	Dec 31, 12	107½	108¼
Pub U Cor.($50)	1,000,000	1¼	Q	Oct. 1, 12	$50	..
Do pf. ($50)..	500,000	1¾	Q	Oct. 1, 12	$48	$50
Queens Boro. G. & E. 5s of '52	1,600,000	5	S	J. & J.	97	100
Rep. R. & L. Co	5,200,000	..	..	....	24	27
Do preferred	6,360,000	1½	Q	Jan 15, 13	79	81
Rich. L., H. & P. 5s of '14	200,000	2½	S	J. & J.	98	100
Roanoke R. & E 5s '53	V	5	S	J. & S.	95	98
Roanoke T. & L. 5s, '58	1,400,000	2½	S	F. & A.	92	95
Roch Ry. & L.5s tax ex'pt N.Y.	9,401,000	2½	S	J. & J.	100½	101½
Roch., Syr. & E. 5s of '45	5,000,000	2½	S	M. & N.	80	83½
Rockld.L.& P.5s	605,000	2½	S	M. & N.	97½	99½
Rockf'd (Ill.) E. 5s of '39	1,504,000	5	S	M. & S.	96½	98
Rutland R., L. & P. 1st 5s,'46	1,904,000	2½	S	M. & S.	94	97
St. Clair Co. G. & E. 1st con. 5s, '59	1,591,000	2½	S	M. & S.	..	95
St. Jos.(Mo.) R., L., H. & P. 5s	4,337,000	2½	S	M. & N.	99	100
St. Louis R. R. (B'way Cable) 4½s, 1920	[illegible]	2½	S	[illegible]	97	[illegible]
Sagn. Val. Tr.5s	513,000	2½	S	F. & A.	96	98
Salt L. & Ogd. 1st 5s	1,150,000	..	S	F. & A.	96	98
San Diego Con. G.&E.1st5s,'39	3,175,000	2½	S	M. & S.	96½	98½
Scioto Val. Tr. 1st 5s, '23	1,600,000	2½	S	M. & S.	97	99
Scranton El. 5s	2,951,000	2½	S	J. & J.	101½	103
Scran. Ry. ($50)	2,000,000	..	..	....	60	..
Do pf. ($50)	1,500,000	1½	Q	Oct 1, 12	62½	70
Do con.5s,'32	1,100,000	1½	Q	Oct 15, 12	100	101¼
Seattle Elec. Co con. 5s, '29	7,417,000	2½	S	F. & A.	97	99
Seattle Ltg. 5s.	3,701,000	2½	S	A. & O.	94½	96
Sierra & San F. Pow. 1st 5s	6,500,000	2½	S	F. & A.	93	95
So. Cal. Ed'n Co	9,975,000	2½	S	J. & J.	96	98
South'n Pow. 5s	4,000,000	2½	S	M. & S.	99	100
Spokane & Inland Emp. 5s.	4,057,000	2½	S	M. & N.	96	98
Spgfld. (Mo.) R. & L.F.L.5s,'26	2,000,000	2½	S	M. & N.	95	96
Superior W.L.& P. 1st 4s, 1931	1,600,000	2	S	M. & N.	82	84
Stan G&E ($50)	9,343,150	..	..	....	$21	$22
Do pf. ($50)	10,977,950	2	Q	Dec 16, 12	$49½b	$50½b
Tampa El.1st 5s	1,200,500	2½	S	J. & D.	99	100
Tenn. R., L.&P.	20,000,000	..	..	....	22¾	24
Do preferred	10,250,000	1¼	Q	Dec. 2, 12	76½	77¾
Tex. Tr. 1st 5s.	2,000,000	2½	S	J. & J.	94	96
Tri-City R. & L.	9,000,000	..	..	....	56	59
Do preferred	2,828,200	1½	Q	Oct. 1, 12	94½	95¾
Do 5s of '23	3,207,000	2½	S	A. & O.	97	98
Unit. Elec. N.J. 4s, '49	18,617,500	2	S	J. & D.	82	82¾
Unit. E. L. & P. (Balt.) 4½s	4,428,000	2¼	S	M. & N.	92¼	93¼
U. Ry. & Elec. (Balt.) inc. 4s	14,000,000	2	S	J. & D.	64¼	64½
UG & E of NJ.5s	1,454,000	2½	S	J. & J.	99	..
U.L.& Rys5s,'32	4,875,000	2½	S	J. & D.	89	92½
United Util.	5,000,000	..	..	....	37	40
Do preferred	1,000,000	1¾	Q	Jan. 2, 13	100b	102½b
Utica & M'h'k V. Ry. 4½s,'41	2,268,000	4½	S	M. & S.	94¼	96
Va. Ry. & P. 5s	10,345,000	2½	S	J. & S.	95	96½
Wash. R. & El.	6,500,000	1	Q	Dec. 1, 12	88	90
Do preferred	8,500,000	2½	S	Dec. 1, 12	89	90
Do con. 4s,'51	10,244,000	2	S	M. & S.	82¾	84
Wash.-Va. Ry..	1,378,000	1½	S	Nov 1, 12	50	51½
Do preferred	1,000,000	2	S	Nov 1, 12	77	80
W. Cit.G.& E.pf	500,000	1¾	Q	Jan. 1, 12	90b	92½b
West'n Power..	14,670,000	..	..	....	25	27
Do 6%cum.pf	6,000,000	..	..	....	51	52
West Penn. Rys 5s of '31	V	5	S	A. & O.	100¾	101½
West. St. G.&E	3,503,000	4	..	....	56	60
Do preferred	1,800,000	1¾	Q	Oct 15, 12	95b	100b
Do 1st & ref. 5s, '41	3,400,000	2½	S	J. & D.	92¼	95
Wheel. El.5s,'41	1,206,000	2½	S	M. & N.	94½	96½
Wheel. Tr. Co. 1st cons. 5s,'31	2,500,000	2½	S	J. & J.	97	99
Y'gst'n & O. R. 1st 5s, '35	1,000,000	2½	S	A. & O.	99	100

b—And dividends or interest accrued. *Ex dividend.

INDUSTRIAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

SECURITIES.	Amount Outstanding.	Dividend. Per C't.	Period	Date.	Quotation Dec. 28, 1912. Bid.	Asked.
Am. Bank Note Co. ($50)	$5,000,000	1	Q	Nov 15,12	51	54
Do pf. ($50)	5,000,000	1½	Q	Jan. 2, 13	52¾	54½
Amer. Chicle...	6,000,000	‡2	M	Jan 20, 13	210	215
Do preferred	3,000,000	1½	Q	Jan. 2, 13	100	103
Am. Glue Co....	800,000	2	S	Nov 1, 12	102½	107½
Do preferred	1,600,000	4	S	Sep. 1, 12	144½	147½
Am. Graphoph..	1,500,000	4	S	Sep. 1, 12	42	..
Do preferred	1,500,000	7	Q	Nov 15,12	75	80
Am. Screw.....	3,000,000	2½	Q	Dec 31, 12	..	158
Am. Steel F. 6s	2,455,000	3	S	A. & O.	99	100½
Am. Typef'ders	4,000,000	1	Q	Jan 15, 13	48	51
Do preferred	2,000,000	1¾	Q	Jan 15, 13	102½	105
Am. Writ. Pap.	9,500,000	..	S	Oct. 1	2½	3
Ast. V'neer Mis. & Dock 6s, '41	490,000	6	S	J. & J.	100	105
Arlington Mills	8,000,000	3	S	Jan. 1, 13	112½	115
Autosales Gum & Choco. Co..	6,000,000	1	V	Feb 1, 12	81	83
Do 6s	3,533,000	6	S	J. & J.	68	70
Bab. & Wilcox.	15,000,000	7	Q	J,A,J,O	100	105
Bliss, E. W., Co.	1,250,000	2½	Q	Apr. 1, 11	80	85
Do preferred	1,250,000	2	Q	Jan. 1, 13	115	125
Bord. C. Milk..	21,250,000	4	S	Aug 15,12	116	..
Do preferred	7,500,000	1½	Q	Dec 15, 12	104½	106
Brit.-Am. Tob..	11,000,000	y6	y	Jan. 7, 13	24	24½
Brad. Copper...	6,000,000	..	..	....	10¼	10¾
Do 6s	4,000,000	3	S	M. & N.	205	210
Do 7s, new..	2,000,000	3½	S	M. & N.	205	210
B.R.T. 5% notes	....	..	..	....	96¼	96¾
Case, J. I., pf...	8,000,000	1¾	Q	Jan. 1, 13	100	101
Celluloid	5,925,000	‡3½	Q	Dec 31, 12	139	148
Cen. Fireworks.	1,406,800	1	..	1907	2	8
Do preferred	1,267,200	3½	A	....	25	30
Chesebr'gh Mfg	500,000	‡$10	Q	Sep. 2, 12	660	690
Computing-Tabulating Rec...	10,457,218	..	..	....	47	48
Do 6s	7,000,000	6	S	J. & J.	79¾	80½
Consol. Coal ref s. f. 4½s, '34..	4,983,000	2¼	S	M. & N.	92	93
1st s. f. 5s,'50	18,596,000	2	S	J. & D.	92¾	92⅞
Con. Rub. Tire.	4,000,000	..	..	....	13	14
Do preferred	1,149,500	..	..	....	50	60
Hav. Tobacco..	29,790,700	..	..	....	5	8
Hav. Tob. pf...	4,703,800	..	..	....	..	15
Houston Oil....	20,000,000	..	..	....	20¾	21¼
Do preferred	....	..	..	....	66	67½
Int. Nickel.....	38,000,000	2½	Q	Mar 1, 13	145½	146½
Do preferred	9,000,000	1½	Q	Feb 1, 13	106	107
Interoc. Tel. & Tel. 1st 5s, '33	2,000,000	5	S	J. & J.	70	72½
K. C. Stocky'ds	8,250,000	1½	Q	Nov 1, 12	95	97
Do cv. 5s, '13	619,000	2½	S	M. & N.	99½	100½
Lanston Mono..	6,000,000	1½	Q	Dec 30, 12	89	90
L. V. Coal Sales	6,060,800	2½	Q	Jan 20, 13	220	235
Lima Loco. Cor. 1st 6s, 1932....	2,000,000	3	S	M. & N.	99	101
Man. Sht. W...	5,000,000	..	..	....	52	68
Do preferred	3,000,000	1¾	Q	Dec 31, 12	101½	102½
Marconi of Am. (new)	10,000,000	..	..	....	5¾	6¼
Mays Oil ($1)..	875,000	..	..	....	15	18
McAndrew & F.	V	2½	Q	Jan 15, 13	190	195
Merg. Linotype	12,797,800	‡6	Q	Dec 31, 12	216	218
Monon Coal 1st 5s, '36	2,500,000	2½	S	J. & D.	93	95
Otis Elevator...	6,371,500	1	Q	Jan 15, 13	76	78
Do preferred	6,451,100	1½	Q	Jan 15, 13	99	102
Park & Tilf. 6s	2,840,000	3	S	J. & J.	95	97
Penn. Textile...	1,575,000	..	..	....	24	25
Pett. Mull......	7,000,000	..	..	....	28¼	29
Do preferred	2,250,000	1¾	Q	Jan. 2, 13	98	100
Poc. Con. Col. 1st 5s, '57	4,628,300	2½	S	J. & J.	87	88
Proc. & Gamble	12,000,000	3	Q	Nov 15,12	525	550
Do preferred	2,250,000	2	Q	Jan 15, 13	190	..
Royal Bak. P..	10,000,000	3	Q	Dec 31, 12	210	215
Do. 6% cum.pf	10,000,000	1½	Q	Dec 31, 12	105	108
Saf. C., H. & L.	10,000,000	‡3	Q	Dec 23, 12	111	113
Singer Mfg.....	60,000,000	3	Q	Oct. 1, 12	290	292
Stand. Coupler.	1,200,000	2	S	Dec 23, 12	30	40
Do preferred	300,000	4	S	Dec 23, 12	108	112
Stand. Oil, N. J.	100,000,000	$5	Q	Dec 16, 12	415	417
Stern Bros. pf..	5,000,000	1¾	Q	Dec. 2, 12	77	80
Studebaker Cor.	30,000,000	..	..	....	35	37
Do preferred	13,500,000	1¾	Q	Dec. 2, 12	90	94
Temple Iron 4s.	2,500,000	6	A	J. & J.	104¾	105½
Un. Typewriter	10,000,000	..	..	....	34	37
Do 1st pf....	4,000,000	1¾	Q	Jan. 1, 13	103	105
Do 2d pf....	5,000,000	2	Q	Jan. 1, 13	100	102½
Unit. Cig. Mfrs.	15,000,000	1	Q	Nov 1, 12	50	52½
Un. Cig. St.Am.	27,162,000	..	..	....	118¼	118⅝
Do preferred	4,527,000	1¾	Q	Dec 16, 12	116½	117
U. S. Env. 5s..	1,950,000	2½	S	J. & D.	99½	101½
Do preferred	3,750,000	2½	S	Nov 11,12	112	115
Do common..	750,000	..	..	....	105	110
U. S. Motor....	12,193,350	..	..	....	1-16	¼
Do preferred	11,491,133	2¾	Q	Jul 15, 11	⅛	1
West. Elec. 1st 5s, '22.........	8,750,000	2½	S	J. & J.	100¼	101
West. Pac. 5s..	49,925,000	2½	S	M. & S.	84¼	84½

y—Interim dividend.

TRUST COMPANIES.

SECURITIES.	Amount Outstanding.	Dividend. Per C't.	Period	Date.	Quotation Dec. 28, 1912. Bid.	Asked.
Astor Trust....	$1,250,000	2	Q	Nov 1, 12	395	405
Bankers Trust..	10,000,000	5	Q	Jan. 2, 13	530	540
Bd. & Mtg.Guar.	5,000,000	3½	Q	Nov 15,12	297	302
Broadway Tr...	1,000,000	1½	Q	Nov 1, 12	165	175
Brooklyn	1,000,000	‡15	Q	Jan. 2, 13	475	..
Columbia-Knickerbocker	2,000,000	5	Q	Dec 31, 12	540	555
Central	3,000,000	‡14	Q	Jan. 2, 13	1035	1050
Citizens	1,000,000	3	S	Sep. 1, 12	150	..
Commercial	500,000	..	..	....	90	100
Empire	1,000,000	2½	Q	Dec 28, 12	300	310
Equitable Trust	3,000,000	6	Q	Dec 31, 12	530	535
Farmers' Loan & Trust ($25).	1,000,000	12½	Q	Nov 1, 12	1300	1350
Fidelity	1,000,000	‡5	S	Jan. 2, 13	218	226
First Mtg. Guar	250,000	6	S	Jan. 2, 13	125	130
Franklin	1,000,000	6	S	Jun 29, 12	235	270
Fulton	500,000	‡7	S	Jan. 2, 13	310	320
Guaranty (new)	10,000,000	‡8	Q	Dec 31, 12	625	635
Guardian	500,000	..	..	....	90	100
Hamilton	500,000	3	Q	Nov 1, 12	270	280
Home	750,000	2	..	Jul 15, 07	120	..
Hudson Trust..	500,000	3	S	Jan. 2, 13	132	142
Kings County..	500,000	4	Q	Nov 1, 12	525	..
Lawyers Mtg.Co	4,000,000	3	Q	Nov. 1, 12	215	220
Lawyers T. Ins. & Trust Co...	4,000,000	3	Q	Jan. 2, 13	214	220
Lincoln	1,000,000	3	Q	Sep 30, 07	125	135
Long Island....	1,000,000	3	Q	Jan. 1, 13	298	305
Metropolitan ...	2,000,000	6	Q	Dec 31, 12	440	450
Mtge. Bond Co.	2,000,000	1½	Q	Dec 31, 12	102	109
Mutual Alliance	1,000,000	1½	Q	Jan. 2, 13	145	152
Nassau	600,000	2	Q	Nov. 1, 12	155	..
New York	3,000,000	5	Q	Dec 31, 12	625	640
N. Y. L. I. & T.	1,000,000	25	S	Dec 10, 12	1050	1080
N. Y. Mtg. & Sec. Co.....	1,000,000	3	Q	Jan. 3, 13	200	208
People's Trust.	1,000,000	1	M	Nov 1, 12	295	305
Realty Assoc...	4,000,000	3	S	Jan 15, 13	110	115
T. Guar. & Tr..	5,000,000	9	Q	Dec 31, 12	500	507
Title Insurance	2,000,000	1¾	Q	Sep 15, 12	112	117
Union	1,000,000	12½	Q	Jan 10, 13	1290	1305
U. S. Mtg & T.	2,000,000	6	Q	Dec 31, 12	470	480
United States..	2,000,000	25	S	Jan. 2, 13	1120	..
Washington Tr.	500,000	4	Q	Jan. 2, 13	375	..
Windsor	1,000,000	3	S	Dec 20, 10	160	180

*New stock.

GAS AND WATER COMPANIES.

SECURITIES.	Amount Outstanding.	Dividend. Per C't.	Period	Date.	Quotation Dec. 28, 1912. Bid.	Asked.
Altoona G.5s,'22	$750,000	2½	S	F. & A.	95	100
Am. Lt. & Trac	10,235,400	2½	Q	Nov 1, 12	400	410
Do preferred	[illegible]	1½	Q	Nov 1, 12	108	110
Aub. Gas 1st 5s.	300,000	5	S	J. & J.	95	..
B'klyn Boro. 1st 5s, '38	500,000	2½	S	M. & S.	97	..
Buffalo Gas....	7,000,000	..	..	....	5	7
Buff. Gas pf...	1,713,000	..	..	....	15	..
Burlington 1st 5s, '55	....	..	..	....	93¾	95¼
Cent. Un.5s,1927	3,500,000	2½	S	A. & O.	102	103
Cities Service..	5,499,430	1-3	M	Jan. 1	110	113
Do preferred	10,195,360	½	M	Jan. 1	86	88
Citz. G. & F. 1st ref. 5s, '60....	477,000	2½	S	J. & J.	95½	97
Do 1st 5s, '22	....	..	..	....	97	100
Colum. G. & F.	3,000,000	½	Q	Dec. 2, 12	..	29¼
Do preferred	5,500,000	1½	Q	Jan. 2, 13	..	68¾
††Con.G. of N.J. 1st con.5s,1936	971,000	2½	S	J. & J.	98	100
Cons. Water Co. of Utica 1st mtg. 5s of '30	2,500,000	5	S	J. & J.	100½	102
Do deb. mtg. 5s of '30....	905,000	5	S	J. & J.	90	93½
Dayton Gas 5s.	1,200,000	2½	S	M. & S.	98	100
Denver G. & E.	7,001,300	¾	M	Nov 1, 12	220	..
Do gen. 5s..	6,000,300	2½	S	M. & N.	93	96
Det. City G. gr. lien 5s of '23	5,619,000	5	S	J. & J.	100	101
E. Ohio G. 1st 5s	14,500,000	5	S	J. & J.	99	..
Elmira Wat. L. & R.R. con. 5s	2,166,000	2½	S	M. & S.	91	95
Do 1st 5s, '49	1,661,000	2½	S	J. & J.	100	104
Gd. Rap. G.L.5s	1,350,000	2½	S	F. & A.	99	100
Houston G.5s,'20	961,000	2½	S	M. & S.	98	100
Hud. Co. Gas...	10,500,000	4	S	June 1, 12	131	134
Do 1st 5s..	10,500,000	2½	S	M. & N.	103½	104
Indiana Ltg. Co	4,500,000	1	S	Oct. 1, 12	41	45
Do 1st 4s, '58	3,000,000	2	S	F. & A.	69	71
Ind'apolis ($50).	2,000,000	..	..	....	35	40
Do 1st 5s,1952	4,250,000	2½	S	A. & O.	87	90
Ind'olis Wat. 5s	2,431,000	2½	S	J. & J.	100	101
J'ksonville5s,'37	1,200,000	1¼	Q	M,J,S,D	98	102
Kansas Nat. G.	12,000,000	..	..	....	10	11
Do 1st 6s, '16	2,000,000	3	S	M. & N.	97	100
Do 2d 6s, '18	2,800,000	3	S	J. & J.	66	69
Kings Co. Ltg. 1st 5s, tax ex.	2,428,000	2½	S	J. & J.	98	100
Lincoln G. & E.	2,250,000	..	..	....	32	35
Do 5s, '41..	796,000	5	S	J. & J.	78	80
Mich. Lt. pf....	2,144,000	1½	Q	Jan. 2, 13	98	101
Milwaukee Gas Lt. 1st 4s, '27	7,932,000	2	S	M. & N.	90	90⅝
Minneap. Gas 5s	800,000	3	S	J. & J.	..	101
N. Ams'm 5s,'48	10,635,000	2½	S	J. & J.	100	103
N. Y. & E. R. con. 5s, 1945..	1,500,000	2½	S	J. & J.	101	103
N.Y. & Q. G.Co. 1st 5s	816,000	2½	S	Sep. 1, 12	98	100
Nor. Union Gas 5s of '27......	3,500,000	..	..	....	100	102
Okla. G. & El. 5s, '29	2,482,000	2½	S	A. & O.	97	99
Pacific G. & E.	31,908,750	1¼	Q	Jan 15, 13	62½	*63
Do preferred	10,000,000	1½	Q	Nov 15,12	91¼	92
Portl'd G.& C.5s	4,118,000	2½	S	J. & D.	97½	99
Do pfd stock	1,350,000	1¾	Q	Nov 1, 12	102	106
Scran. G. & W. 1st 5s, '23....	1,000,000	2½	S	J. & J.	102	103½
Do deb. 5s,'35	421,000	5	S	J. & J.	101¾	102½
S. Jer. G. & El.	6,000,000	4	S	J. & D.	124	130
Do 1st 5s, '53	12,378,000	2½	S	M. & S.	99¼	99¾
Sp'brook Wat.5s	4,490,000	2½	S	A. & O.	103½	104¼
Standard (N.Y.)	5,000,000	1½	S	Jun 29, 12	80	..
Do preferred	4,295,700	3	S	Jun 29, 12	90	..
Do 1st 5s,1930	1,362,000	2½	S	M. & N.	104	106
Syrac. Gas 1st 5s, 1946	2,500,000	2½	S	J. & J.	102	103
Syrac. L. & P. col tr. 5s, g., '54	5,506,500	2½	S	J. & J.	83	85
Syracuse Lt. 1st mtg. 5s, '51...	2,500,000	2½	S	J. & D.	100½	101½
Washington G.	2,600,000	V	V	V	84¼	84½
Do 5s, 1960..	2,860,000	2½	S	M. & N.	108	110
West. N.Y.Wat.	5,000,000	..	..	....	..	5
Wilkerbarre G. & E. 1st 5s,'55	3,000,000	2½	S	J. & J.	101½	103

*Ex dividend.

BANKS.

SECURITIES.	Amount Outstanding.	Dividend. Per C't.	Period	Date.	Quotation Dec. 28, 1912. Bid.	Asked.
Aetna Nat.....	$500,000	2	Q	Jan. 2, 13	200	215
America	1,500,000	14	S	Jan. 2, 13	615	625
Am. Exch. Nat.	5,000,000	5	S	Nov 1, 12	232	236
Batt'y Pk. Nat.	200,000	3	S	Jan. 2, 13	135	140
Bowery	250,000	3	Q	Nov 1, 12	400	..
Bronx Borough.	150,000	10	S	July 1, 12	300	..
Butch. & Drov. (Nat.) ($25)...	300,000	3	S	Jan. 2, 13	130	140
Century	500,000	3	Q	Jan. 2, 13	225	235
Chase National.	5,000,000	5	Q	Jan. 2, 13	750	800
Chat.-Phen.Nat.	2,250,000	2	Q	Jan. 2, 13	183	187
Chelsea Exch...	400,000	6	S	A. & O.	135	150
Chemical Nat..	3,000,000	2½	B	Jan. 2, 13	440	450
Cit's Cent. Nat.	2,550,000	2	Q	Jan. 2, 13	190	200
City (National).	25,000,000	5	S	Nov 1, 12	418	428
Coal & Iron Nat	1,000,000	1¼	Q	Jan. 2, 13	160	165
Colonial	400,000	‡4½	Q	Jan. 1, 13	450	..
Columbia	300,000	8	S	Jan. 1, 13	325	340
Commerce (Nat)	25,000,000	2	Q	Jan. 2, 13	195	200
Corn Exchange.	3,000,000	4	Q	Nov 1, 12	320	325
E. R. Nat. ($25)	250,000	3	S	July 1, 12	90	105
Fidelity	200,000	3	S	May 1, 12	160	170
Fifth Avenue..	100,000	‡150	Q	Jan. 2, 13	4500	..
Fifth National..	250,000	3	Q	Jan. 2, 13	300	350
First National..	10,000,000	‡12a	Q	Dec 31, 12	1010	1025
Fourth Nat....	5,000,000	2	Q	Jan. 2, 13	198	203
Garfield Nat...	1,000,000	3	Q	Dec 31, 12	280	295
Ger.-Am. ($75)..	750,000	3	S	Aug 1, 12	140	150
German Exch..	200,000	10	S	Jan. 2, 13	425	450
Germania	200,000	‡12½	S	Nov 1, 12	515	535
Gotham Nat....	200,000	2	Q	Jan. 2, 13	170	..
Greenwich	500,000	‡4½	Q	Jan. 1, 13	250	260
Hanover Nat...	3,000,000	4	Q	Jan. 1, 13	700	712
Harriman Nat..	500,000	..	..	....	280	300
Imp. & Tr. Nat.	1,500,000	12	S	Jan. 2, 13	550	560
Irv. Nat. Exch..	2,000,000	‡21	Q	Jan. 2, 13	200	205
Liberty Nat....	1,000,000	‡10	Q	Jan. 2, 13	655	..
Lincoln Nat....	1,000,000	2½	Q	Nov 1, 12	370	390
Manhattan ($50)	2,050,000	‡8	S	Jan. 2, 13	355	..
Mar.& Fult.Nat.	1,000,000	3	Q	Jan. 1, 13	250	260
Mechanics and Metals	6,000,000	3	Q	Nov 12,12	255	262
Merch.Nat.($50)	2,000,000	4	S	Jan. 2, 13	200	210
Merch. Ex. Nat. ($50)	600,000	3	S	Jan. 2, 13	155	163
Metropolis	1,000,000	4	Q	Nov 1, 12	350	380
Metropolitan ..	2,000,000	2	Q	Jan. 2, 13	194	..
Mount Morris..	250,000	3	Q	Jan. 2, 13	250	..
Mutual	200,000	6	S	Jan. 2, 13	275	295
Nat. Nassau...	1,000,000	4	S	Nov 1, 12	200	220
Nat. Reserve...	1,200,000	3	S	Jan. 1, 11	93	..
N. Netherland..	200,000	3	S	Oct. 1, 12	210	225
N. Y. (N.B.A.)	2,000,000	8	S	Jan. 2, 13	390	405
N.Y.County Nat	500,000	30	S	July 1, 12	830	870
N. Y. Prod. Ex.	1,000,000	4	S	Oct 15, 12	165	..
Pacific ($50)....	500,000	2	Q	Nov 1, 12	260	265
Park National..	5,000,000	4	Q	Jan. 2, 13	366	372
People's ($25)...	200,000	5	S	Jan. 2, 13	250	270
Seaboard Nat..	1,000,000	3	Q	Jan. 2, 13	420	..
Second Nat.....	1,000,000	3	Q	Oct. 1, 12	390	415
Security	1,000,000	3	S	Aug 1, 12	135	145
Sherman Nat...	200,000	..	..	....	135	..
State	1,000,000	5	S	Jan. 2, 13	240	270
23d Ward	200,000	3	S	Aug 1, 12	165	180
Union Ex. Nat..	1,000,000	4	S	Dec 31, 12	160	170
Wash. Heights.	100,000	2	Q	Dec 31, 12	300	..
West Side	200,000	6	S	Jan. 2, 13	550	625
Yorkville	100,000	10	S	Dec 31, 12	585	610

a—Also 3 p. c. Q and 5 extra on First Security Co. payable same day.

INSURANCE AND SURETY COMPANIES.

SECURITIES.	Amount Outstanding.	Dividend. Per C't.	Period	Date.	Quotation Dec. 28, 1912. Bid.	Asked.
Amer. Surety..	$2,500,000	16	Q	Dec 31, 12	190	200
City of N. Y...	500,000	2½	Q	Oct. 1, 12	165	180
Commonwealth	500,000	5	S	July 1, 12	325	..
Continental ...	2,000,000	25	S	Jul 18, 12	980	1000
Fidelity & Cas.	1,000,000	10	S	J. & J.	460	500
Fidelity-Phenix	2,500,000	5	S	Jul 18, 12	330	345
Germ. Alliance.	400,000	7½	S	Jul 15, 12	280	295
Germ. Amer.....	2,000,000	15	S	Jul 15, 12	545	560
Germania ($50).	1,000,000	10	S	July 3, 12	305	315
Germania Life..	200,000	15	S	Jul 24, 12	215	..
Hanover ($50)..	1,000,000	4	Q	Jan. 2, 13	205	215
Home Fire.....	3,000,000	17½	S	July 1, 12	725	740
Home Life.....	125,000	6	S	M. & N.	275	..
Manhattan Life	100,000	‡13	S	F. & A.	400	..
Metrop. L. ($25)	2,000,000	3½	S	M. & N.	150	170
Nassau ($50)...	200,000	5	Q	Oct., 1912	130	140
National Surety	2,000,000	3	Q	Jan. 2, 13	200	207
Niagara ($50)..	1,000,000	15	S	July 3, 12	320	335
Nor. River ($25)	350,000	5	S	Apr., 1912	150	160
Prudential ($50)	2,000,000	10	A	V	450	500
Stuyv's'nt($100)	400,000	5	S	J. & J.	150	160
U. S. Casualty..	500,000	2½	Q	Oct. 1, 12	190	210
U. S. Life.....	264,000	7	A	J. & J.	90	105

NEW YORK CITY TRACTIONS.

SECURITIES.	Amount Outstanding.	Dividend. Per C't.	Period	Date.	Quotation Dec. 28, 1912. Bid.	Asked.
Bleecker St.&F. Ferry stock..	900,000	¾	S	J. & J.	22	28
Do 1st 4s, '50	700,000	4	S	J. & J.	70	80
B'way& 7th Av.	2,100,000	2½	Q	J,A,J,O	170	180
B'klyn C.R.($10)	12,000,000	2½	Q	Oct 15, 12	160	164
Cen. C't'n 6s,'22	250,000	3	S	M. & N.	104	..
C. P. N. & E.R.	1,800,000	2½	S	Jan., 1908	..	10
C. Isl. & B. stk.	2,983,000	2	Q	Feb., 1907	100	105
Chris. & 10th St	650,000	2	Q	J,A,J,O	120	130
Eighth Av.R.R.	1,000,000	4	Q	J,A,J,O	310	320
42d St. & Gr.St.	748,000	4½	Q	F,M,A,N	260	285
Hud. Cos. 7% pf	16,000,000	..	..	....	28	34
Do 6% nts,'13	8,000,000	3	S	A. & O.	99	100
NY & NJ 5s,'52	5,000,000	2½	S	F. & A.	100	103
N. Y. Railways	13,210,934	..	..	....	27	30
Ninth Avenue..	800,000	2	Q	....	150	..
Second Av. stk.	1,862,000	2½	Q	Jan. 1, 09	1	3
2d Av. rec. ctfs.	3,140,000	5	S	A. & O.	99	99⅝
2d Av. Ry. 1st con. 5s, '48...	5,631,000	2½	S	Feb. 1, 08	35	40
Sixth Av. stock	2,000,000	1¾	Q	F,M,A,N	120	135
34th St. Crosstown 1st 5s,'96	1,000,000	2½	S	A. & O.	98	100

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Arkansas, Oklahoma & West. R. R. Co.	6s
Associated Simmons Hardware Co's.	5s
Baton Rouge, La., Permanent Imp.	4s
Billings, Mont. Fund. 6s & City Hall	4½s
Bloomfield, N. J. Fire Department	4s
Buffalo Creek R. R. Co. 1st Refund	5s
Buffalo Creek R. R. Co.	2d 5s
Cairo, Ga. W. W. Elec. L. & T. Hall	5s
Camden County, N. J. Building	4s
Canandaigua, N.Y.U.F. Sch'l Dist. No. 1	4s
Cedartown, Ga. School Improve	6s
Central San Cristobal	1st 7s
Cohoes, N. Y., Public Improve. Fire Dept. & Water	3½s, 4s and 4½s
Coldwater Gas, Light & Fuel Co.	1st 5s
Consolidation Coal Co.	4¼s
Detroit, Monroe & Toledo S. L. Ry.	5s
Durham, N.C., Fund. & School	4½s & 5s
Easton, Palmer & Bethlehem St. Ry.	5s
Elberton Ga., Pv. El Lt.&Sc.Bg.	4½s & 5s
Elmira Water, Light & Railroad Co.	5s
Elyria, O., Water Works	4½s
Fairmont Coal Company	5s
Fresno City Water Company	5s
Fort Pierce, Fla., Public Utility	6s
Glassport, Pa., School District	4½s
Glassport, Pa., Boro	5s
Goldsboro Gas Company	5s
Greensboro, N.C., Street, S. & Water W.	4s
Greenwich, Conn., Refunding	4½s
Griffin, Ga., Sewer, Water & Light	5s
Hawaii Territory Improvement	3½s
Idaho Falls, Idaho, Municipal	5s
Inter-Ocean Steamship Company	5s
Jennings, La., School	5s
Klickitat County, Wash., Funding	6s
Long Island Railroad Co. Con.	5s
Long Island R. R. Co. New Con.	4s
Long Island R. R. Co. N. S. Branch	5s
Lynchburg, Va., Public Imp.	4½s
Marquette & BessemerD & N.Co. Deb.	5s
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Memphis, Tenn., Refunding	4½s
Memphis, Tenn., Refunding Gold	4½s
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Oskaloosa Traction & Light Co.	5s
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Pensacola, Fla., Special Improvement	6s
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Port Vue, Pa., Funding	4½s
Price City, Utah, W.W. & Elec.L. Co.	6s
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St. Lawrence River Power Co. Com.	5s
Schol. City, Fort Wayne, Ind.	3½s
South Orange, N. J., Sewer	4s
South Porto Rico Sugar Co. (Jan. 31)	6s
Statesville, N. C., R. R. Aid	6s
Stockton Gas & Electric Corporation	6s
Stonington, Conn., School Dist. No. 18	4s
Sullivan Water Company 1st	6s
Syracuse, N. Y., School	3½s
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Westerly, R. I. Refunding	4s
West Indianapolis Funding (Jan. 6)	6s
West Orange, N. J. Educational	5s
Wilkes Barre, Pa., City Improvement	4s
Wilmington, N. C., Refunding	4s
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Ashtabula Water Co.	Gen. 5s
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Blue Ridge Electric Co.	1st 5s
Boone Gas Co.	1st 5s
Bronx Gas & Electric Co.	1st 5s
Buffalo General Elec. Co.	1st 5s
Bergen County, N. J.	Various
Clearfield Bituminous Coal Corporation	1st 4s
Cohoes-Waterford Home Telephone Co.	1st 6s
Columbia Gas & Elec. Co.	1st 5s
Consumers' Electric Light & Power Co.	1st 5s
Corning, N. Y., Sewer, &c.	
Cumberland Tel. & Tel. Co.	1st 5s
Deutscher Berein	1st 3s
Fishkill & Matteawan Equitable Gas Co.	1st 6s
Grays Harbor Gas Co.	1st Cons. 5s
Greenville Gas Light Co.	1st 5s
Greenwood County, S. C.	
Guanajuato Mining & Milling Co.	1st 6s
Gulf Florida & Alabama RR. Co.	1st 5s
Holly Beach City, N. J.	
Ithaca, N. Y., Reg.	
Jackson & Battle Creek Traction Co.	1st 5s
Isaac G. Johnson & Co.	1st 5s
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Lumber City, Ga., School	6s
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Miami, Fla., Sewer & Street Impt.	
Miami Copper Co.	1st 6s
Mechanical Rubber Co.	1st 6s
Michigan Traction Co.	1st 5s
Mutual Lt. & Water Co.	1st Ref. 5s
New York Belting & Packing Co.	1st 5s
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United Message Co.	1st 5s
Upper Hudson Stone Co.	1st 6s
Upper Hudson Stone Co.	1st 6s B
Victor Fuel Co.	1st 5s
Vincennes Citizens' Street Railway	1st 5s
Waterbury, Conn., Reg.	4s & 4½s
Waynesboro, Ga.	5s
Westchester, N. Y., County of, Prin. & Int.	
White Rats Realty Co.	6s
Wise County, Va., School District No. 5.	
Waverly, Sayre & Athens Traction	1st 5s
DUE JANUARY 15TH.	
Battle Island Paper Co.	1st 5s
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Madison County, Montana, 4½s
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219th Consecutive Semi-Annual Dividend

The Merchants National Bank

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42 Wall Street

December 26, 1912.

The Board of Directors has this day declared a dividend of FOUR (4%) PER CENT., free of tax, payable January 2, 1913, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 26, 1912.

JOSEPH BYRNE, Cashier.

250th Consecutive Semi-Annual Dividend

ESTABLISHED 1784.

The Bank of New York

National Banking Association

New York, Dec. 17th, 1912.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a semi-annual dividend of Eight (8%) per cent., payable on and after January 2d, 1913.

The transfer books will remain closed from Dec. 21st, 1912, to Jan. 2d, 1913.

JOSEPH ANDREWS, Cashier.

THE ATCHISON, TOPEKA AND SANTA FE RAILWAY COMPANY.

New York, December 3, 1912.

The Board of Directors has declared a semi-annual dividend (being dividend No. 29) on the PREFERRED STOCK of this Company of TWO DOLLARS AND FIFTY CENTS ($2.50) per share, payable February 1, 1913, out of surplus net income, to holders of said PREFERRED STOCK as registered on the books of the Company at the close of business on December 31, 1912. The books will not be closed. Dividend cheques will be mailed to holders of PREFERRED STOCK who file suitable orders therefor at this office.

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THE GENERAL GAS & ELECTRIC CO.

New York, November 27, 1912.

The Board of Directors of The General Gas and Electric Company have this day declared a regular quarterly dividend of One and One-Half Per Cent. on its preferred stock, payable January 2, 1913, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 20, 1912.

O. CLEMENT SWENSON, Treasurer.

213th DIVIDEND

Chartered 1799.

Bank of The Manhattan Company,

New York, December 19, 1912.

The President and Directors of the Manhattan Company have this day declared a dividend of 7% out of the earnings of the past six months, and an extra dividend of 1% for the year ending December 31, 1912, free from tax, payable January 2, 1913, to Stockholders of record at the close of business December 27, 1912. Transfer books to remain closed until January 2, 1913.

D. H. PIERSON, Cashier.

AMERICAN GAS & ELECTRIC CO.

PREFERRED STOCK DIVIDEND NO. 24.

New York, December 10, 1912.

The regular quarterly dividend of one and one-half per cent. (1½%) on the issued and outstanding PREFERRED Capital Stock of American Gas & Electric Company has been declared for the quarter ending January 31, 1913, payable February 1st, 1913, to stockholders of record on the books of the Company at the close of business January 15th, 1913, on which day the transfer books will close and reopen Feb. 3rd, 1913.

FRANK B. BALL, Treasurer.

The Market and Fulton

National Bank

New York, December 24th, 1912.

A QUARTERLY dividend of Three Per Cent. upon the capital stock of this Bank has been declared, payable, free of tax, on and after January 2d, 1913. The transfer books will be closed until that date.

T. J. STEVENS, Cashier.

NIPE BAY COMPANY

PREFERRED STOCK.

A dividend of one per cent. on the preferred stock of this company has been declared payable January 15th, 1913, at the office of the Treasurer, 131 State Street, Boston, Mass., to stockholders of record at the close of business December 24, 1912.

CHARLES A. HUBBARD, Treasurer.

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THE KANSAS CITY SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY.

No. 25 Broad St., New York, December 17, 1912.

A quarterly dividend of ONE PER CENT. (1%) has this day been declared upon the Preferred Stock of this Company, from surplus earnings of the current fiscal year, payable January 15, 1913, to stockholders of record at 3:00 o'clock P. M., December 31, 1912. Checks in payment of the dividend will be mailed to stockholders at the addresses last furnished to the Transfer Agent.

G. C. HAND, Secretary.

FIFTH NATIONAL BANK

OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

New York, December 20th, 1912.

150TH DIVIDEND

The Board of Directors has this day declared the usual quarterly dividend of THREE PER CENT., free of tax, payable Jan. 2nd, 1913, to stockholders of record December 31st, 1912.

W. S. BECKLEY, Cashier.

COLUMBIA-KNICKERBOCKER TRUST COMPANY,

60 Broadway.

New York, December 19, 1912.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a Quarterly Dividend of Five per cent. on the Capital Stock of this Company, payable December 31st, 1912, to Stockholders of record at the close of business, December 23d, 1912. The Transfer Books will not close.

L. W. WIGGIN, Secretary.

VIRGINIA RAILWAY & POWER CO.,

No. 165 Broadway, New York, November 29th, 1912.

The Board of Directors of Virginia Railway & Power Company has this day declared a dividend of 2½%, equal to $2.50 per share, on the preferred stock of said Company, payable on January 10th, 1913, to the preferred stockholders of record on December 14th, 1912. The transfer books will not be closed. Dividend cheques will be mailed.

G. E. WILLIAMS, Treasurer.

The Peoples Bank of the City of New York.

December 19, 1912.

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-THIRD CONSECUTIVE SEMI-ANNUAL DIVIDEND.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a semi-annual dividend of FIVE PER CENT., free of tax, payable on and after January 2, 1913. The transfer books will be closed on the 21st inst. at 12 M. and reopened January 2d, 1913, at 10 o'clock A. M.

WILLIAM MILNE, Cashier.

St. Louis Southwestern Railway Co.

A quarterly dividend of one and one-quarter per cent., or $1.25 per share, upon preferred stock of this company has this day been declared, payable on Jan. 15, 1913, to preferred stockholders of record at 3 o'clock P. M., on December 31st, 1912. The stock transfer books will not be closed for the payment of this dividend.

ARTHUR J. TRUSSELL, Secretary.
New York, December 10, 1912.

THE CITIZENS CENTRAL NATIONAL BANK OF NEW YORK.

New York, December 20th, 1912.

The Board of Directors has this day declared a quarterly dividend of Two (2%) Per Cent., free of tax, payable on and after January 2d, 1913, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 27th, 1912.

ALBION K. CHAPMAN, Cashier.

THE HANOVER NATIONAL BANK of the City of New York.

New York, December 20, 1912.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a quarterly dividend of FOUR PER CENT., free of tax, payable on and after January 2d, 1913. Transfer books will remain closed from December 21st, 1912, to that date.

ELMER E. WHITTAKER, Cashier.

GARFIELD NATIONAL BANK, Fifth Avenue & Twenty-third St.

New York, December 24, 1912.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors, held this day, a Quarterly Dividend of THREE PER CENT. upon the Capital Stock of this bank was declared, payable, free of tax, on and after December 31, 1912.

The Transfer Books will be closed until Thursday, January 2, 1913.

A. W. SNOW, Cashier.

THE BANK OF AMERICA.

New York, December 20th, 1912.

The Board of Directors have to-day declared a semi-annual dividend of fourteen (14) per cent., free of tax, payable January 2nd, 1913, to stockholders of record of this date.

The transfer books will remain closed until January 3rd, 1913.

W. M. BENNET, Cashier.

State Investing Company (of New Jersey.)

New York, December 16th, 1912.

The Board of Directors has this day declared a semi-annual dividend of Three and One-half Per Cent., payable on January 2d, 1913, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 23, 1912.

WM. AVERELL BROWN, Treasurer.

The National Buthchers & Drovers Bank.

New York, December 19th, 1912.

The Board of Directors of this Bank have this day declared a semi-annual dividend of Three (3%) Per Cent., free of tax, payable on and after January 2d, 1913. The transfer books will be closed from December 19th, 1912, to January 2d, 1913.

WM. H. CHASE, Cashier.

CENTRAL UNION GAS COMPANY.

The coupons due January 1, 1913, attached to the First Mortgage bonds of this Company, will be paid at the office of H. B. Hollins & Co., 15 Wall Street, New York City.

PHILIP J. SCHNEIDER, Treasurer.
December 27th, 1912.

CANADA SOUTHERN RAILWAY CO.

First mortgage 5% bonds, (extended at 6%,) due Jan. 1, 1913, will be redeemed on and after Jan. 2d at the office of the Treasurer, Room 3,111, Grand Central Terminal, New York.

Coupons will be paid at the office of the Union Trust Company, New York, as usual.

MILTON S. BARGER, Treasurer.

United States Realty & Improvement Co.,

111 Broadway, New York, Dec. 27th, 1912.

The Coupons on this Company's Twenty-year Debenture 5% Bonds, due January 1st next, will be paid on January 2d upon presentation at the Company's office, Room 1,408 Trinity Building.

B. M. FELLOWS, Treasurer.

Coupon No. 37, January 1, 1913,

JACKSONVILLE TERMINAL CO.

First Mortgage 5% Bonds will be paid at the office of the Standard Branch of the Guaranty Trust Company of New York, 25 Broad St., on and after January 1st, 1913.

W. M. DAVIDSON, Treasurer.

Minneapolis & St. Louis Railroad Co.

Coupons due January 1, 1913, from Des Moines & Fort Dodge Railroad Company First Mortgage Four Per Cent. Bonds will be paid after that date upon presentation at the office of the company, 25 Broad Street, New York.

F. H. DAVIS, Treasurer.

E. W. BLISS COMPANY,

Borough of Brooklyn, N. Y., Dec. 16, 1912.

The Board of Directors of this Company has this day declared a quarterly dividend of 2% on the Preferred Stock of the Company, payable on January 2nd next, to holders of Preferred Stock of record on the books of the Company at the close of business December 21st next, and have ordered transfer books closed from December 23rd to 31st inclusive.

HOWARD C. SEAMAN,
Secretary & Treasurer.

Rhode Island Suburban Railway Co.

Holders of the January, 1913, coupons of the 4% Gold Mortgage Bonds of the Rhode Island Suburban Railway Co. may present them for payment at the office of Messrs. Clark, Dodge & Co., 51 Wall Street, New York, on and after January 2, 1913. Checks for interest on the registered bonds will be mailed from Providence.

C. A. BABCOCK, Treasurer.
Providence, R. I., Dec. 28, 1912.

National Railroad Company of Mexico,

25 Broad Street, New York.

Coupons due January 1, 1913, from the Prior Lien Mortgage 4½% Gold Bonds of this Company will be paid on and after that date upon presentation at the office of the Company,

NO. 25 BROAD STREET, NEW YORK.

F. M. SOUTHER, Assistant Treasurer.
December 18, 1912.

ST. LAWRENCE RIVER POWER CO.

The First Mortgage Convertible 5% Ten-Year Gold Bonds of the St. Lawrence River Power Company and the coupon due January 1, 1913, will be payable at the office of the United States Mortgage & Trust Company.

R. E. WITHERS, Treasurer.

MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

THE FRANKLIN TYPEWRITER COMPANY.

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to resolutions of the Board of Directors, a special meeting of the Stockholders of the Franklin Typewriter Company will be held at the office of the company's attorney, Rooms 1,320-22, No. 27 William Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, N. Y., at 3 P. M., on the 13th day of January, 1913, for the purpose of voting upon a proposition that the corporation be forthwith dissolved, and for the transaction of such other business in connection therewith as may be necessary or desirable.

GEORGE W. CAMPBELL, Secretary.
Dated, New York, December 20, 1912.

THE MUTUAL BANK.

New York, December 19th, 1912.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this bank for the election of Directors, and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting, will be held in the banking house, 49-51 West 33d Street, on Tuesday, the 14th day of January, 1913, between the hours of 3 and 4 P. M.

At this meeting it is proposed to consider and act upon a resolution increasing the number of Directors of the bank from fourteen to fifteen. HUGH N. KIRKLAND, Cashier.

LINCOLN TRUST COMPANY.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Lincoln Trust Company will be held at the office of the company, 208 Fifth Avenue, New York, on Wednesday, January 8th, 1913, at 11 o'clock A. M., for the election of Directors and Inspectors of Election and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Polls will remain open from 11 o'clock A. M. to 12 o'clock noon.

The Transfer Books will be closed at 3 P. M. on December 27th, 1912, and will reopen at 10 A. M. on January 9th, 1913.

HORACE F. POOR, Treasurer.

IRVING NATIONAL BANK, NEW YORK

New York, December 3, 1912.

The annual meeting of the Shareholders of this Bank for the election of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may be brought before it will be held in the Banking Rooms, No. 92 West Broadway, Tuesday, January 14, 1913, at 12 o'clock noon, the polls to be open from 12 o'clock noon to 1 o'clock P. M.

The transfer books will be closed from 12 o'clock noon, January 11, 1913, until 10 o'clock A. M. January 15, 1913.

HARRY E. WARD, Cashier.

LAWYERS TITLE INSURANCE AND TRUST COMPANY,

160 Broadway.

New York, Dec. 23, 1912.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this Company will be held on Wednesday, January 8, 1913, at 2 P. M., at the office of the Company, 160 Broadway, New York, for the purpose of electing Directors and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

WALTER N. VAIL, Secretary.

UNITED STATES TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK.

45 Wall Street, December 23, 1912.

AN ELECTION for Trustees to supply the places of those whose terms of office expire, and for Inspectors of the next election ensuing thereafter, will be held at the office of the Company on the seventh day of January next (the first Tuesday) between the hours of 12 M. and 1 P. M.

WILFRED J. WORCESTER, Secretary.

NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE IN NEW YORK.

New York, December 12, 1912.

The annual meeting of the Shareholders of the National Bank of Commerce in New York for the election of Directors will be held at its Banking House, 31 Nassau Street, New York City, on Tuesday, January 14, 1913, at 12 o'clock noon. The polls will be open from 12 o'clock to 1 P. M.

STEVENSON E. WARD, Cashier.

The Citizens Central National Bank of New York.

New York, December 12, 1912.

The annual meeting of the shareholders of this bank for the election of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may be brought before it will be held at the Banking House, No. 320 Broadway, on Tuesday, January 14, 1913, at 12 o'clock noon.

The polls will be open from 12 M. to 1 P. M.

ALBION K. CHAPMAN, Cashier.

MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

FIFTH NATIONAL BANK. OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Twenty-third Street & Lexington Avenue,
New York, December 20th, 1912.

The Annual Meeting of the shareholders of the FIFTH NATIONAL BANK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK will be held at its Banking House, Nos. 131 & 133 East Twenty-third Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Tuesday, the 14th day of January, 1913, at 12 o'clock noon, for the election of Directors and for the consideration of an amendment to its Articles of Association, whereby the Board of Directors shall consist of not less than seven nor more than fifteen members; the number for each year to be determined by the Shareholders at their regular annual meeting for the election of Directors of such year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

The polls will be open from 12 o'clock noon to 1 o'clock P. M.

By order of the Board of Directors.

W. S. BECKLEY, Cashier.

THE APEX COLLAR & SHIRT COMPANY, INC.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of The Apex Collar & Shirt Company, Inc., will be held at twelve o'clock noon on the 18th day of January, 1913, at the principal office of the Company, No. 49 Wall Street, in The City of New York, and that the object of said meeting is to consider the approval of an agreement of consolidation entered into and made between the said The Apex Collar & Shirt Company, Inc., and Cluett, Peabody & Co., pursuant to resolutions of their respective Boards of Directors and, if approved, to take such action in the premises as may be necessary.

Dated, New York, December 24th, 1912.

FREDERICK WM. KOBBÉ, Secretary.

CENTRAL TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Central Trust Company of New York for the election of six Trustees of said Company of the Class of 1916, and three Inspectors of the next succeeding election, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before said meeting, will be held at the office of the Company, 54 Wall Street, in the City of New York, on Thursday, January 9th, 1913, at 12 o'clock noon. Polls will be open from 12 o'clock noon to 1 o'clock P. M.

M. FERGUSON, Secretary.
December 27th, 1912.

MADISON SAFE DEPOSIT COMPANY.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Madison Safe Deposit Company will be held at the office of the company, 208 Fifth Avenue, New York, on Wednesday, January 8th, 1913, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the election of Directors and Inspectors of Election and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Polls will remain open from 10 o'clock A. M. to 11 o'clock A. M.

BRECKENRIDGE CARROLL, Secretary.

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The Bank of New York

National Banking Association

New York, December 12th, 1912.

The Annual Election for Directors of this Bank will be held at the banking room, No. 48 Wall Street, on Tuesday, January 14th, 1913.

The polls will be open from 12 M. to 1 o'clock P. M. JOSEPH ANDREWS, Cashier.

BROADWAY TRUST COMPANY.

New York, December 24, 1912.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of Broadway Trust Company for the election of Directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting, will be held at the Company's office, No. 754 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Wednesday, January 8, 1913, at twelve o'clock noon. Polls will remain open from 12 o'clock noon to 1 o'clock P. M.

JOHN W. H. BERGEN, Secretary.

New York, December 7th, 1912.

The annual election of Directors of the MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK of the City of New York will be held at its banking house, No. 42 Wall Street, New York, on Tuesday, January 14th, 1913, from 12 noon to 1 o'clock P. M.

By order of the Board of Directors.

JOSEPH BYRNE, Cashier.

THE HANOVER NATIONAL BANK of the City of New York.

New York, December 14, 1912.

The Annual Election for Directors of this Bank will be held at the banking house, Nassau and Pine Streets, Tuesday, January 14th, 1913, between the hours of 12 o'clock M. and 1 o'clock P. M.

ELMER E. WHITTAKER, Cashier.

The German Exchange Bank

December 13, 1912.

The annual Election for Directors of this bank will be held at the Banking House, No. 330 Bowery, Borough of Manhattan, on Tuesday, the 14th day of January, 1913, between the hours of noon and one P. M.

GEORGE KERN, Cashier.

THE NATIONAL NASSAU BANK OF NEW YORK.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of The National Nassau Bank of New York, to elect Directors to serve for the ensuing year, will be held at the banking rooms on Tuesday, January 14, 1913. Polls will be open from 11 o'clock A. M. until 12 o'clock M.

ARTHUR W. GILBART, Cashier.

AT A MEETING OF THE TRUSTEES OF the New York Life Insurance and Trust Company, held on Tuesday, December 3rd, 1912, Eugene Delano, Alfred E. Marling, and Moses Taylor were unanimously nominated to fill vacancies in the board.

New York, December 11th, 1912.

Z. W. VAN ZELM, Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the INTERNATIONAL HIDE & SKIN CO. for the election of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may come before it will be held at the office of the Company, 50 FRANKFORT ST., AT 2 P. M., on Monday, Jan. 6, 1913.

JESSE F. ROSENFELD, Sec'y.

MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the annual meeting of the stockholders of Spietz & Worch Company will be held at the office of the Company, No. 1,018 Second Avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, City and State of New York, on the 13th day of January, 1913, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of electing five Directors for the ensuing year, and two Inspectors of Election to serve at the next annual meeting, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting. Polls will remain open from 11:30 A. M. till 12 o'clock noon, unless all stockholders shall have sooner voted.

New York City, N. Y., December 30, 1912.

MAURICE WERTHEIM, Secretary.

THE PURE SPRING WATER COMPANY.

To the Stockholders of The Pure Spring Water Company:

You will please take notice that a meeting of the stockholders of The Pure Spring Water Company will be held at the office of the company, at No. 309 Broadway, New York City, Borough of Manhattan, N. Y., (Room 703,) on Friday, the 24th day of January, 1913, at the hour of four o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of voting upon a proposition that this corporation be forthwith dissolved. Yours, &c.,

ROBERT L. SIM, Secretary.
December 19th, 1912.

OFFICE OF LAWYERS MORTGAGE COMPANY,

59 Liberty Street.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this Company will be held Wednesday, January 15th, 1913, at 2 P. M., in the Company's Board Room, 160 Broadway, New York City, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for the ensuing year and three Inspectors of Election to serve at the next annual election, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

ORLAND S. ISBELL, Secretary.
New York, December 30th, 1912.

UNION RAILWAY COMPANY OF NEW YORK CITY.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of Union Railway Company of New York City will be held at the office of the Company, No. 2,396 Third Avenue, corner of 130th Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Monday, January 13th, 1913, at 12 o'clock noon, for the election of Directors and Inspectors of Election and for the transaction of such further business as may properly come before the meeting.

Dated New York, December 30th, 1912.

FREDERIC J. FULLER, Secretary.

THE SOUTHERN BOULEVARD RAILROAD COMPANY.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of The Southern Boulevard Railroad Company will be held at the office of the Company, No. 2,396 Third Avenue, corner of 130th Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Monday, January 13th, 1913, at 12 o'clock noon, for the election of Directors and Inspectors of Election and for the transaction of such further business as may properly come before the meeting.

Dated New York, December 29th, 1912.

FREDERIC J. FULLER, Secretary.

THE YONKERS RAILROAD COMPANY.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of The Yonkers Railroad Company will be held at the office of the Company, No. 2,396 Third Avenue, corner of 130th Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Monday, January 13th, 1913, at 12 o'clock noon, for the election of Directors and Inspectors of Election and for the transaction of such further business as may properly come before the meeting.

Dated, New York, December 30th, 1912.

FREDERIC J. FULLER, Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Annual Meeting of the stockholders of the QUINTARD IRON WORKS COMPANY will be held at the office of the Company, Number 742 East 12th Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 13th day of January, 1913, at twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing seven Directors for the ensuing year and two Inspectors of Election to serve at the next annual meeting, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting. JAMES M. WELLMAN, Secretary.

Dated New York, Dec. 28th, 1912.

THIRD AVENUE BRIDGE COMPANY.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Third Avenue Bridge Company will be held at the office of the Company, No. 2,396 Third Avenue, corner of 130th Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Monday, January 13th, 1913, at 12 o'clock noon, for the election of Directors and Inspectors of Election and for the transaction of such further business as may properly come before the meeting.

Dated, New York, December 30th, 1912.

WALTER C. BURROWS, Secretary.

THE BRONX TRACTION COMPANY.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of The Bronx Traction Company will be held at the office of the Company, No. 2,396 Third Avenue, corner of 130th Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Monday, January 13th, 1913, at 12 o'clock noon, for the election of Directors and Inspectors of Election and for the transaction of such further business as may properly come before the meeting.

Dated, New York, December 30th, 1912.

FREDERIC J. FULLER, Secretary.

WESTCHESTER ELECTRIC RAILROAD COMPANY.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of Westchester Electric Railroad Company will be held at the office of the Company, No. 2,396 Third Avenue, corner of 130th Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Monday, January 13th, 1913, at 12 o'clock noon, for the election of Directors and Inspectors of Election and for the transaction of such further business as may properly come before the meeting.

Dated, New York, December 30th, 1912.

FREDERIC J. FULLER, Secretary.

NOTICE is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Stockholders of The Emerson Company will be held at its office, 30 Church Street, N. Y., on the 18th day of January, 1913, at 10 o'clock.

R. J. MEHREN, Secretary.

MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

THE PEOPLES BANK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

December 10th, 1912.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this Bank for the election of Directors for the ensuing year and Inspectors of Election will be held at the Banking House, Nos. 393 and 395 Canal Street, on Tuesday, January 14, 1913, at 12 o'clock noon. The polls will be opened from 12 o'clock noon to 1 P. M.

WILLIAM MILNE, Cashier.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the Corn Exchange Safe Deposit Company, New York City, for the election of Directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may properly be brought before the meeting, will be held at the office of the Company, 13 William Street, New York City, Borough of Manhattan, on Monday, January 13th, 1913. The polls will be open from 10:30 o'clock A. M. to 11:00 o'clock A. M.

RICHARD D. BROWN, Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Clairmont and Nichols Co. will be held at the office of the Company, No. 16 West 45th Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 13th day of January, 1913, at 5 o'clock in the afternoon, for the election of Directors for the ensuing year and such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Dated New York, Dec. 28th, 1912.

MIRIAM SHERWOOD, Secretary.

METROPOLITAN BANK.

December 27th, 1912.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this Bank for the election of Directors and Inspectors of Election will be held at the banking house, Fourth Avenue and Twenty-third Street, on Tuesday, January 14th, 1913. Polls will be open from 12 o'clock M. until 1 o'clock P. M.

AUGUSTUS C. CORBY, Cashier.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of D. C. WEEKS & SON will be held at the office, 1,123 Broadway, City, on Monday, January 13, 1913, at 12 o'clock M., for the purpose of electing Directors for the ensuing year, and such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

F. M. WEEKS, President.
D. A. McLEOD, Secretary.

AN ELECTION OF TWENTY MANAGERS of the New York Institute for the Education of the Blind and of three Inspectors of Election will be held at the Institute, 34th St. and 9th Av., at 4 o'clock in the afternoon of Thursday, Jan. 2, 1913. LINZEE BLAGDEN, Sec'y.

NOTICE.—The Annual Meeting of the Grape Capsule Company Delaware Corporation will be held at the office of the Company, 108 Fulton St., New York, Monday, Jan. 13, 1913, at 3 o'clock. GRAPE CAPSULE COMPANY. H. N. GOOD, Sec'y.

Issue of $1,000,000

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CLARKE BROTHERS, Bankers

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To the Holders —of the— Fifty-year 4% Collateral Trust Gold Bonds —of the— International Traction Company.

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the semi-annual interest on the aforesaid bonds which matured on the first day of January, 1912, and on the first day of July, 1912, will be paid to the holders thereof upon presentation of the coupons representing the same, at the office of Messrs. J. P. Morgan & Co., No. 23 Wall Street, New York, on or after the thirtieth day of December, 1912, together with 5% interest from the first day of January, 1912, on interest due on said date, and from the said first day of July, 1912, on interest due on said date, to the thirtieth day of December, 1912.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the semi-annual interest on the aforesaid bonds maturing on the first day of January, 1913, will be paid to the holders thereof upon presentation of the coupons representing the same, at the aforesaid office of Messrs. J. P. Morgan & Co. on or after the second day of January, 1913.

Dated December 28, 1912.

INTERNATIONAL TRACTION COMPANY.
By WILLIS C. DUNBAR, Secretary.

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BUSH TO EXPLAIN PLAN.

Proposed Merger of Railroad Companies Opposed in Texas.

Special to The New York Times.

AUSTIN, Texas, Dec. 29.—B. F. Bush, President of the Missouri Pacific Railroad Company, is in Texas, and will have a conference with the State Railroad Commission to-morrow in regard to the proposed consolidation of the Missouri Pacific Railroad Company and the International & Great Northern Railroad Company. Members of the Railroad Commission have expressed themselves as opposed to the proposed merger, and it is Mr. Bush's purpose to explain the details of the pending transaction with the view of overcoming these objections, if possible.

Mr. Bush said to-day that if the Railroad Commission withdraws its objections to the proposed consolidation the plan will be put into effect early in January. Steps will be taken immediately thereafter to improve the physical condition of the International & Great Northern.

NEW PENNSYLVANIA OFFICERS

Directors Make Appointments to Take Effect on Wednesday.

The Board of Directors of the Pennsylvania Railroad yesterday made the following appointments of important operating officials, to take effect on Jan. 1:

G. L. Peck, at present General Manager of the Pennsylvania Lines West, will become Fifth Vice President, in charge of the transportation department. Benjamin McKeen, at present General Manager of the Vandalia Railroad, will become General Manager of the Pennsylvania Lines West, succeeding Mr. Peck. E. T. Whiter, now Superintendent of the Eastern Division of the Northwest System, will become General Superintendent of the Northwest System.

C. M. South, now Chief Clerk to the First Vice President of the Lines West, will become Assistant to the First Vice President. W. G. Phelps, Chief Clerk to the Second Vice President of the Lines West, will become Assistant Purchasing Agent. J. B. Brittain, First Assistant to the Controller of the Lines West; J. W. Orr, Second Assistant to the Controller, and John Hurst, General Accountant, will become Assistant Controllers.

It was said at the Pennsylvania offices here last night that the appointments were promotions in the nature of a general moving up in consequence of President McRea's retirement.

CRUDE RUBBER STRONGER.

Local Market Regained Lost Strength Last Week—Buying Light.

Partly because of increased activity on the part of shorts and partly under the influence of the upturn at London, the local crude rubber market last week regained a considerable portion of the strength lost in the decline of the week previous. Closing prices were generally higher than opening figures, gains ranging anywhere from 1 to 5 cents a pound being shown. In the opinion of one of the best-posted traders in the market, local prices bid fair to close the year much more favorably to sellers than was the case a year ago. At the moment quotations on upriver fine in this market are about 8 cents a pound higher than at this time in 1911, and there is said to be little reason why this gain will not be sustained for the balance of the month.

As usual at this time of the year, manufacturing interests did not appear keen about entering the market to any extent, but prices continued firm here, under the lightness of supplies and lack of selling pressure on the part of holders.

A slight reactionary tendency was reported from London on Friday, following a two-day shutdown over the holiday, but it was not believed here that the drop would be sharp enough to affect local prices to any great extent.

New York Stock Exchange Quotations

Total Sales Week Ended Dec. 28, $6,273,000.

	High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.
Adams Express 4s...	83	83	83	2
Albany & Sus. 3½s....	88¾	88¾	88¾	5
Al.-Chalmers 5s, tr....	57½	56	57½	9
Am. Ag. Chem. 5s....	101¼	101	101	2
Am. Cotton Oil 5s....	94¾	94¾	94¾	10
Am. Hide & L. 6s....	100⅝	100¼	100⅝	4
Am. Spirits Mfg. 6s..	99½	99½	99½	1
Am. Smelting Sec. 6s..	103½	103	103½	8
Am. T. & T. col. 4s....	88⅝	88¾	88⅝	52
Am. T. & T. cv. 4s....	109½	109½	109½	5
Am. Writing Paper 5s..	88½	88	88½	4
Armour & Co. 4½s....	91½	91¼	91½	10
A., T. & S. F. gen. 4s.	96⅞	96⅝	96⅝	14
A., T. & S. F. adj. 4s.	87⅛	87⅛	87⅛	1
A., T. & S. F. adj. 4s, stamped	87½	87½	87½	2
A., T. & S. F. con. 4s, 1960	103	102¾	102¾	80
A., T. & S. F. Trans. S. L. 4s..........	91¼	91¼	91¼	1
Atlantic Coast Line 4s.	95	94⅝	95	21
A. C. L., L.&N. col. 4s.	92⅛	92	92⅛	13
Balt. & Ohio gold 4s..	97⅛	97⅛	97⅛	12
B. & O. prior lien 3½s.	91⅝	91¼	91½	61
B. & O., P. L. E. West Va. 4s.........	88¼	88¼	88¼	4
B. & O. S. W. 3½s....	90	89⅞	90	26
Bethlehem Steel 1st and ref. 5s............	85½	85	85½	7
Bethlehem Steel 5s....	95½	95	95	6
B. R. T. ref. 4s.......	92⅛	89¼	91½	593
Bklyn. U. Elev. 1st 5s.	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛	4
Bklyn. Union Gas 5s..	106⅛	106	106⅛	10
Buff. & Sus. ref. 4s...	40	40	40	1
Cal. Gas & Elec. 5s....	94⅝	94⅝	94⅝	11
Canada South. 1st 6s..	100	100	100	5
Canada South. 2d 5s..	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛	7
Cent. of Ga. con. 5s...	108⅛	108	108⅛	11
Cent. Branch Ry. 4s....	92½	92½	92½	3
Central Leather 5s....	94	93⅞	93⅞	17
Central Pac. 1st 4s....	95	94⅝	94⅝	8½
Central Ohio 4½s......	101	101	101	1
Cent. of N. J. 6s......	118¼	118¼	118¼	1
Ches. & Ohio con. 5s..	109½	109½	109½	2
Ches. & O. gen. 4½s..	100¼	99⅞	100¼	25
Ches. & O. con. 4½s..	92⅝	92¼	92¼	40
C., B. & Q. deb. 5s....	99⅞	99⅞	99⅞	4
C., B. & Q. joint 4s....	95⅜	95⅛	95⅜	92
C., B. & Q., Neb. 4s....	96⅛	96⅛	96⅛	1
C., B. & Q., Ia. 5s....	104	104	104	2
C., B. & Q. Ill. 4s....	98⅜	98¼	98⅜	10
C., B. & Q. gen. 4s....	95½	95	95	22
Chicago & Alton 3s....	67	67	67	2
Chic. & Erie 1st 5s....	110¾	110¾	110¾	1
Chi. G. L. & C. 1st 5s..	102½	102⅜	102⅜	6
Chi. Gt. Western 4s..	77	76⅞	76⅞	4
C., M. & St. P. gen. 4s.	98⅝	98⅝	98⅝	11
C., M. & St. P. cv. 4½s.	105¼	105	105¼	101½
C., M. & St. P. deb. 4s.	91	91	91	1
C., M. & St. P., C. P. & W. 5s..........	104¼	104¼	104¼	5
Chi. & N. W. gen. 4s.	97⅛	97⅛	97⅛	20
Chi. & N. W. gen. 3½s.	84	84	84	5
C. & N. W., Mil S. S. & N. W. 4s........	93½	93½	93½	25
C.&N.W. deb. 5s, 1929.	105½	105½	105½	2
C., R. I. & P. ref. 4s..	87	86⅛	86½	10
C., R. I. & P. deb. 5s..	89⅜	89	89⅜	11
C., R. I & P. coll. 4s..	65½	65⅛	65½	49
C., R. I. & P. gen. 4s.	92⅝	92⅝	92⅝	1
C., R. I. & P. g. 4s, rg.	91	91	91	5
C., St. P., M. & O. 5s.	102½	102½	102½	4
C., S. P., M. & O. 3½s.	89¼	89¼	89¼	2
Chino Copper 6s.......	180	180	180	2
C., C., C. & S.L. Div. 4s.	92	92	92	6
Col. & 9th Av. 5s......	101½	101½	101½	19
Col. Industrial 5s......	84	82½	82¾	14
Col. Mid. 1st 4s.......	36	35	35	7
Col. & South 1st 4s....	93½	93¼	93½	12
Col. & South. ref. 4½s.	93¼	93¼	93¼	3
Com. P. ref. 5s, '34...	94	94	94	10
Del. & Hud. ref. 4s....	98	97¾	98	6
Del. & Hud. conv. 4s...	97¼	97¼	97¼	4
Den. & R. G. ref. 5s..	82⅝	82⅝	82⅝	5
Detroit Edison 5s......	101⅝	101¼	101⅝	3
Des M. & Ft. D. 4s....	79¾	79¾	79¾	1
Detroit United 4½s.....	73½	73½	73½	1
Distillers Securities 5s.	69	68½	69	6
E. T. V. & G. con.5s..	109½	109½	109½	1
Erie 1st con. 4s........	86½	86½	86½	7
Erie gen. 4s..........	75	74½	75	16
Erie 1st conv. 4s, A....	83¼	83¼	83¼	1
Erie 1st conv. 4s, B....	76	76	76	19
Erie, Penn. col. 4s.....	80	89	89	6
Fla. E. Coast 4½s......	96½	96½	96½	1
G.H. & S.A., M.&P.5s.	104⅝	104⅝	104⅝	2
General Motors 6s.....	98⅝	98½	98⅝	5
Gen. Elec. deb. 5s, tem. rects., full paid......	103⅞	103½	103⅞	23
Gulf & Ship Island 5s.	93	93	93	10
Gt. North. ref. 4¼s....	100¼	100¼	100¼	20
Green Bay deb. B......	15¾	14½	15¾	7
Hocking Valley 4½s...	101	101	101	20
Ill. Cent. 4s, 1953......	95¾	95¾	95¾	1
Ill. Central ref. 4s.....	95½	95¼	95½	8
Ind., Dec. & W. 5s....	103	103	103	2
Ill. Steel 4½s..........	88⅞	88⅞	88⅞	2
Ind. Steel 5s..........	101	100⅞	100⅞	47
Inspiration Con. Copper 6s, ctfs, 2d paid......	106¼	106¼	106¼	2
Int. Rapid Transit 5s..	103⅜	103¼	103¼	109
Inter.-Met. 4½s	80⅛	79⅞	80¾	308
Inter. Paper 6s	102¼	102	102	4
Inter. Nav. 5s	79½	79	79	5
Iowa Central 1st 5s....	98	98	98	1
Iowa Central ref. 4s....	58	58	58	2
K. C., Ft. S. & M. 4s..	76⅝	76¼	76½	13
Kansas City South. 3s.	72½	72½	72½	2
Kansas City South. 5s.	98	97⅞	98	10
Kentucky Central 4s..	91½	91½	91½	6
Kings Co. E. L. & P. Co. 5s...............	104	104	104	1
Lack. Steel 5s, 1923....	96½	95	95	2
Lack. Steel 5s, 1915....	93½	93½	93½	14
Lack. Steel 5s, 1950....	78½	78½	78½	20
Laclede Gas 1st 5s.....	102	101½	101½	4
Lake Shore 4s, 1928....	92½	92¼	92¼	3
Lake Shore 4s, 1931....	92½	92¼	92¼	31
Liggett & Myers 7s....	119½	119½	119½	12
Liggett & Myers 5s....	97	96⅝	96⅝	28
Louis. & Nash. unif. 4s.	97⅝	97½	97⅝	33
L. & N. col. tr. 5s....	107½	107½	107½	2
Mercan. Marine 4½s...	65	64⅝	65	23
M., L. S. & W. ext. 5s.	107	107	107	5
M., K. & O. K. 1st 5s.	104½	104½	104½	1
M., K. & T. 1st 4s....	94	94	94	4
M., K. & T. 2d 4s....	79¾	79¼	79¼	9
Mo. Pacific conv. 5s..	87⅛	87	87⅛	9
Missouri Pacific 4s....	70½	70⅛	70½	2
Mobile & Ohio gen. 4s..	85½	85½	85½	1
Morris & Essex con. 7s..	106	105⅝	105½	2
Morgan's L. & T. 6s..	107¼	107¼	107¼	1
Nassau Electric 4s....	79	79	79	7
N., C. & St. L. 1st 7s..	101⅜	101⅜	101⅜	4
N., C. & St. L. cons. 5s..	109¼	107½	107½	4
N. Rys. Mex. pr. l. 4½s	86¼	86¼	86¼	5
National Tube 5s......	98⅝	98½	98½	23
N. Y. Air Brake cv. 6s.	101¼	101¼	101¼	1½
N. O., M. & C. 5s....	86⅜	86	86⅜	3
N. Y. Central deb. 4s.	91¼	90⅞	91¼	12
N. Y. Central 3½s......	86	86	86	2
N. Y. C., L. S. col. 3½s.	79	78½	79	14
N. Y. C. & S. L. 1st 4s	99	99	99	1
N. Y. C. & St. L. deb.4s	88	88	88	1
N. Y. Dock 4s.........	85	82	82	3
N. Y. G., E. L. & P. 5s.	101¼	101¼	101¼	9
N. Y., N. H. & H. cv.6s.	125¼	124½	125⅛	48
N. Y., N. H. & H. con. 6s, reg..............	123	123	123	1½
N. Y., N. H. & H. cv. 3½s..............	86½	86½	86½	10
N. Y. & Queens E. L. & P. 5s...........	99½	99½	99½	1
N. Y., O. & W. ref. 4s.	93	92½	92⅝	6
N. Y. Rys. ref. 4s.....	77⅛	76⅞	77⅛	135
N. Y. Rys. adj. 5s.....	57	55⅞	56⅞	1,052
N. Y. Telephone 4½s...	97¼	97	97¼	4
N. Y., W. & B. 4½s...	97⅝	97½	97⅝	22
Norfolk & W. cv. 4s...	111⅞	111⅞	111¾	25
Norf. & West. con. 4s.	97	96⅝	97	17
Norf. & West. div'l 4s..	92⅝	92⅝	92⅝	14
N. & W., Poca., C. & C. 4s............	92	92	92	3
Norf. & So. ref. 5s.....	98	98	98	2
Northern Pacific 4s.....	98	97⅞	98	38⅝
Northern Pacific 3s....	68¼	68	68¼	8
Ore. S. L. cons. 5s....	109⅛	109⅛	109⅛	3
Ore. S. L. 1st 6s......	111¼	111¼	111¼	11
Ore. R. & Nav. 4s.....	93¼	93¼	93¼	3
Ore. Short Line ref. 4s.	92	92	92	13
Pac. Tel. & Tel. 5s....	99⅛	99	99	17
Pacific Coast 5s.......	100	100	100	1
Penn. gtd. 4½s........	103	103	103	1
Penn. 3½s, 1915........	96⅝	96⅝	96⅝	95
Penn. 4s, 1948.........	101⅝	101	101⅝	6
Penn. R. E. 4s........	101⅜	101⅜	101⅜	2
Peo. & East. inc. 4s..	46½	46½	46½	2
P. Lorillard 5s........	97½	97	97	9
Phila. Co. cv. 5s, 1922.	97⅞	97⅞	97⅞	24
Prov. Security 4s......	81⅜	81⅜	81⅜	10
Public Service 5s......	92½	92	92½	23
Ray Con. Copper 6s...	120	120	120	5
Reading gen. 4s........	97	96⅝	97	102
Rdg. J. C. col. 4s......	95	95	95	1
Rep. Iron & S. 5s, 1940.	91⅝	91½	91½	27
Rio Grande West. 4s..	84	83½	83½	2
St. L., Ir. Mt. & So. 5s.	104⅝	104½	104½	18
St. L., Iron Mt. & So. River & Gulf 4s........	83½	83¼	83¼	1
S. L., I. M. & S. ref. 4s.	81¼	81¼	81¼	1
St. L. & S. F. con. 4s..	85½	85½	85½	2
St. L. & S. F. ref. 4s..	74⅜	74¼	74¼	6
St. L. & S. F. gen. 5s..	82	81⅝	82	62
St. L. S. W. 1st 4s.....	89⅝	89	89⅝	6
St. L. S. W. con. 4s.....	80⅛	80	80⅛	24
St. L. S. W. 2d 4s.....	81½	81¼	81¼	4
St. P., M. & M. con. 4s.	98⅝	98⅝	98⅝	2
St. P. & S. City 6s....	109	109	109	2
San An. & A. P. 4s.....	85	85	85	15
Seab. A. L. g. 4s, stpd.	85¼	85⅛	85¼	4
Seaboard A. L. adj. 5s.	76½	76	76½	13
South. Bell T. & T. 5s..	98⅝	98⅝	98⅝	2
South. Pacific col. 4s..	92	91⅞	91⅞	7
Southern Pac. ref. 4s..	93¼	93	93¼	51
Southern Pac. conv. 4s.	92⅝	92	92	105
So. Pac., S. F. Ter. 4s	87⅞	87⅝	87⅞	2
Southern Rwy. 1st 5s..	106¼	106	106	30
Southern Rwy. gen. 4s..	78	77½	77¾	82
Tenn. Coal & I. gen. 5s.	103	103	103	35
Texas Co. conv. 6s.....	99	98⅞	99	26
Third Av. ref. 4s.....	81⅝	81	81⅝	54½
Third Av. adj. 5s.....	75⅝	74⅞	75⅛	628
Tol. & O. Cent. 1st 5s.	106½	106⅛	106½	3
Tol., Peoria & W. 4s...	93	93	93	2
Tol., St. L. & W. 3½s..	84	84	84	5
Tol., St. L. & W. 1st 4s.	55	53¾	54	13
Und. El. L. inc. 6s....	90	90	90	13
Ulster & Del. 5s.......	103½	103½	103½	3
Union Pacific 1st 4s...	98⅞	98½	98⅞	62
Union Pacific conv. 4s.	96⅝	96¼	96⅝	173
Union Pac. ref. 4s.....	95⅝	95½	95½	13
U. R. R. of S. F. 4s...	67	67	67	17
U. S. Rubber 6s.......	103	102½	103	14
U. S. Steel 5s.........	101⅝	100⅞	101	155
Va.-Car. Chem. 5s....	97⅞	97½	97⅞	7
Va. Midland gen. 5s...	108¼	108¼	108¼	1
Va. Southwest. cons. 5s	95	95	95	1
Wabash 1st 5s.........	105¼	104¾	105	32
Wabash 2d 5s..........	98⅝	98½	98½	4
Wabash ref. 4s........	64½	64	64	4
Wab., Omaha Div., 3½s	69	69	69	2
Wabash ref. 4s, Equit. t. r., stamped.........	62	61½	61½	13
W. P. T. 1st 4s, c. t. r.	27½	27	27	24
W. T. P. 1st 4s, col. t.r.	28	28	28	6
Western Electric 5s...	101⅛	101	101	8
Western Maryland 4s..	84	83⅝	83⅞	16
West Shore 4s.........	98	98	98	3
W. U. T. col. t. 5s....	100½	100½	100½	1
W. U. T. r. e. 4½s..	95½	94⅝	95½	2
W. N. Y. & P. 1st 5s.	106¼	106¼	106¼	1
West. E. & M. cv. 5s..	93½	93	93	82
Wisconsin Central 4s..	90⅞	90⅛	90⅞	10

Total sales, $6,117,000.

United States Government Bonds.

	High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.
2s, registered	101¼	101¼	101¼	80
2s, coupon	101½	101⅜	101½	20
4s, coupon	113⅝	113⅝	113⅝	10

Total sales, $60,000.

Foreign Government Bonds.

	High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.
Japanese 4½s	89⅞	89⅝	89¾	3½
Japanese 4½s, 2d ser's.	89½	89½	89½	½
Republic of Cuba 5s...	101⅝	101⅝	101⅝	8
Sao Paulo 5s..........	97	97	97	1

Total sales, $13,000.

New York City Issues.

	High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.
3½s 1954	83½	83½	83½	8
4s, 1957	96½	96¼	96⅜	3
4s, 1959	96	95⅞	95⅞	22
4s, 1956, reg..........	95	95	95	5
4¼s, 1960	100¼	99⅞	100¼	81
4½s, 1957	104⅝	104¼	104⅜	7
4½s, 1957, new........	104⅝	104¼	104⅜	6
4½s, 1917	101	101	101	4
4½s, 1917, new........	101	101	101	1

Total sales, $82,000.

State Securities.

	High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.
Virginia def. 6s, Brown Bros. & Co. ctfs....	58½	58½	58½	1

Grand total, $6,273,000.

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Brooklyn Savings Bank

INTEREST AT THE RATE OF **4 PER CENT PER ANNUM** will be credited to depositors Jan. 1, 1913, (payable on and after Jan. 20th,) on all sums entitled thereto. Deposits made on or before Jan. 10th will draw interest from Jan. 1st.

EDWIN P. MAYNARD, President.
LAURUS E. SUTTON, Comptroller.
ARTHUR C. HARE, Cashier.
CHAS. C. PUTNAM, Asst. Comptroller.

GREENWICH SAVINGS BANK

(INCORPORATED 1833)
S. E. Cor. 6th Ave. and 16th St., New York.
TWO-RATE INTEREST-DIVIDEND
SIX MONTHS ENDING DEC. 31, 1912.

On all sums from $5 to $3,000 to depositors entitled to interest under the by-laws at the rate of

FOUR PER CENT.

per annum on so much of every account as shall not exceed $1,000; and at the rate of

THREE and ONE-HALF PER CENT.

per annum on so much of every account as shall exceed $1,000, payable on and after JAN. 20, 1913.

DEPOSITS MADE ON OR BEFORE JAN. 10 WILL DRAW INTEREST FROM JAN. 1, 1913.

JAMES QUINLAN, President.
CHARLES M. DUTCHER, Treasurer.
FRANCIS M. BACON, JR. } Secretaries.
R. OGDEN CHISOLM. }

The Bowery Savings Bank

128 AND 130 BOWERY.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10, 1912.

A semi-annual dividend at the rate of **THREE and ONE-HALF Per Cent.** per annum has been declared and will be credited to depositors on all sums of $5.00 and upward and not exceeding $3,000 which shall have been deposited at least three months on the first day of Jan'y next, and will be payable on and after Monday, Jan'y 20, 1913.

Money deposited on or before Jan'y 10 will draw interest from Jan'y 1, 1913.

HENRY A. SCHENCK, President.
WILLIAM E. KNOX, Comptroller.
JOSEPH G. LIDDLE, Secretary.

Dry Dock Savings Institution

341 & 343 BOWERY, Cor. 3d St., New York.

The Trustees have declared a dividend for the six months ending December 31, 1912, on all deposits entitled thereto under the By-Laws, at the rate of **THREE and ONE-HALF Per Cent.** per annum on all sums not exceeding THREE THOUSAND DOLLARS, payable on and after January 20, 1913.

Deposits made on or before January 10 will be entitled to interest from January 1, 1913.

ANDREW MILLS, President.
WM. F. PATTERSON, Treasurer.
CHARLES MIEHLING, Secretary.

SEAMEN'S BANK FOR SAVINGS

74 and 76 Wall Street.

THE TRUSTEES HAVE ORDERED THAT INTEREST be paid to depositors entitled thereto for the six months ending Dec. 31st, 1912.

On accounts not exceeding three thousand dollars at the rate of FOUR PER CENT. per annum. Payable on and after Monday, Jan. 20th, 1913.

DANIEL BARNES, President.
GEORGE M. HALSEY, Cashier.
WILLISTON H. BENEDICT, Secretary.
New York, Dec. 16th, 1912.

THE BANK FOR SAVINGS,

IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.
280 Fourth Avenue, Dec. 11th, 1912.
187TH SEMI-ANNUAL DIVIDEND.

The Board of Trustees has declared an interest dividend for the Six Months ending December 31st, 1912, at the rate of **THREE AND ONE-HALF PER CENT.** per annum on all sums of $5.00 and upward entitled thereto, and payable on and after January 20th, 1913. The dividend will be credited to depositors as principal January 1st, 1913. Deposits made on or before January 10th, 1913, will draw interest from January 1st, 1913.

WALTER TRIMBLE, President.
CHARLES A. SHERMAN, Secretary.
JAMES KNOWLES, Comptroller.

New York Savings Bank

N. W. Cor. 14th St. and 8th Avenue.

Jan. 1, 1913, dividend at the rate of

FOUR PER CENT.

per annum on all sums from $5 to $3,000 entitled thereto under the by-laws.

DEPOSITS MADE ON OR BEFORE JAN. 10 WILL DRAW INTEREST FROM JAN. 1.

WILLIAM FELSINGER, President.
JAMES L. WANDLING, Treasurer.
ARCHIBALD M. PENTZ, Secretary.

Union Dime Savings Bank

6th Avenue and 40th Street

An Interest Dividend (107th consecutive) has been declared at the rate of **Three and One-Half Per Cent. per annum.** Credited January 1, 1913, and payable on or after Thursday, January 16, 1913, on all sums entitled thereto under the By-Laws. Money deposited on or before January 10, 1913, draws interest from January 1, 1913.

ALEX. P. W. KINNAN, President.
FRANCIS M. LEAKE, Treasurer.
WILLIAM G. ROSS, Secretary.

United States Savings Bank

S. W. Cor. Madison Ave. and 58th St.

A dividend has been declared for the three or six months ending Dec. 31, 1912, at the rate of THREE AND ONE-HALF PER CENT. per annum on all accounts of $5 and upwards entitled thereto, payable January 20, 1913.

Deposits made on or before January 13th will draw interest from January 1st, 1913.

CHARLES N. TAINTOR, President.
JOHN HYSLOP, Treasurer.

Maiden Lane Savings Bank

170 Broadway, cor. Maiden Lane,

Has declared a semi-annual dividend at the rate of

4% per annum

Deposits made on or before Jan'y 10th will draw interest from Jan'y 1st. Deposits received from 9 A. M. to 5:30 P. M.

Louis Windmuller, Pres.
J. Heynen, Sec'y.

American Savings Bank

115 WEST 42D ST.
(Bet. Broadway & Sixth Ave.)

Hours 9 to 4; also Mondays 6 to 8 P. M.
Dividend at rate of 3½% per annum.

Deposits on or before Jan. 10th, 1913, draw interest from January 1, 1913.

JOHN V. IRWIN, Pres. DAVID ORR, Sec'y.
WM. M. HAZELTON, Treas.

EAST RIVER SAVINGS INSTITUTION
291, 293, 295 BROADWAY, NEW YORK.

The 128th semi-annual dividend has been declared at the rate of

Four Per Cent.

per annum on all accounts entitled thereto, payable on and after January 20th. Deposits made on or before January 10th will draw interest from January 1st, 1913.

D. S. RAMSAY, Pres. C. A. WHITNEY, Sec.

$309,000
The Wabash Railroad Co
4½% Equipment Bonds
SERIES C
Due Jan. 1, 1913.

The above bonds will be paid on presentation at our office, 44 State St., Boston, Jan. 1, 1913, on which date interest will cease.

LEE, HIGGINSON & CO.
Dec. 27, 1912.

$2,472,000
The Wabash Railroad Co
4½% Equipment Bonds
SERIES C
Due Jan. 1, 1913, to July 1, 1916.

Coupons due Jan. 1, 1913, attaching to the above bonds, will be paid on presentation at our office, 44 State St., Boston, Jan. 1, 1913.

LEE, HIGGINSON & CO.
Dec. 27, 1912.

OGDEN MINE RR. CO. 5% STOCK
Dividends Guaranteed by Cent. RR. of N. J.
Dealt in by

International Time Recording Company of New York.

To the holders of the First Mortgage and Collateral Trust Six Per Cent. Sinking Fund Gold Bonds, dated January 15, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to the provisions of the first paragraph of Article Six of the Mortgage or Deed of Trust, securing said issue of bonds, bearing date January 15th, 1907, the INTERNATIONAL TIME RECORDING COMPANY OF NEW YORK elects to redeem the remaining bonds of said issue now outstanding, consisting of 349,000 bonds.

Said bonds will be redeemed by the Guardian Trust Company of New York, the Trustee under said Mortgage or Deed of Trust, at its office, No. 170 Broadway, in the City of New York, on January 15th, 1913, at the price of $1,050 per bond and accrued interest thereon to the designated date of redemption. Interest on all bonds of said issue will cease on and after January 15th, 1913.

International Time Recording Company of New York.
By GEORGE W. FAIRCHILD, President.
Dated Endicott, N. Y., December 16th, 1912.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANY
First Refunding Mortgage Gold Bonds.

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to the provisions of Section 10, Article Fourth, of the mortgage and deed of trust executed by this Company to The Equitable Trust Company of New York, as Trustee, dated January 3d, 1905, to secure its First Refunding Mortgage Gold Bonds, this Company has set apart out of the net income derived by it from the lines of railroad subject to the lien of said mortgage and deed of trust the sum of $12,000 in the year 1912, in trust to be used to redeem said bonds, and that bonds will be redeemed therewith. Bids are hereby invited for the surrender of such bonds at prices to be named by the bidders to the amount of $12,546.91, in the sinking fund. Such bids should be presented to this Company at its office, 165 Broadway, in the City and State of New York, on or before the first day of February, 1913, at 12 o'clock noon, and should be endorsed "Bids for surrender of Southern Pacific Railroad Company's First Refunding Mortgage Gold Bonds."

Dated San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 28, 1912.
SOUTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD CO.,
By G. L. KING, Secretary.

HOCKING VALLEY PRODUCTS COMPANY SINKING FUND.

Bankers Trust Company, as Trustee under the First Mortgage of Hocking Valley Products Company, dated January 1st, 1911, hereby requests proposals for the sale on February 3d, 1913, of First Mortgage Fifty-Year Five Per Cent. Sinking Fund Gold Bonds of that Company, to the Trustee on account of the Sinking Fund, the amount of which available for such purchase is eighteen thousand five hundred and nineteen dollars and thirty-one cents ($18,519.31.)

PROPOSALS MUST BE IN WRITING AND DELIVERED TO THE TRUSTEE IN SEALED ENVELOPES NOT LATER THAN JANUARY 30, 1913, THE TRUSTEE RESERVING THE RIGHT TO ACCEPT OR REJECT ANY OR ALL PROPOSALS IN WHOLE OR IN PART.

BANKERS TRUST COMPANY, TRUSTEE,
16 Wall Street, New York City.
Dated Dec. 30, 1912.

FOSTER-SCOTT ICE COMPANY,
232 W. 11th Street,
New York City.

Notice is hereby given that twenty-two (22) First Mortgage Bonds of this Company of $1,000 each, numbered as below, have been drawn for redemption for the Sinking Fund, as provided in the Deed of Trust to the UNION TRUST COMPANY of NEW YORK, Trustee, dated November 1st, 1911, and will be paid on presentation at the Office of said Trust Company, No. 80 Broadway, on and after January 2, 1913, viz:

Nos. 29, 52, 69, 101, 126, 131, 141, 180, 189, 207, 237, 238, 239, 252, 257, 294, 298, 342, 360, 365, 431, 442.

FOSTER-SCOTT ICE COMPANY.
RICHARD J. FOSTER, President.

ATLANTIC MUTUAL INSURANCE CO.,
Atlantic Building,
NOS. 49 AND 51 WALL STREET.
New York, Dec. 23, 1912.

The Transfer Books of this Company will be closed from January 1st, 1913, to February 4th, 1913 inclusive.

G. STANTON FLOYD-JONES, Secretary.

ENGLISH syndicate with exceptional resources for European financing of American industrial, mining, and railway undertakings invites correspondence. International Vendors' Syndicate, 5 and 6 Great Winchester St., London, England. Cable address, Exigencies, London.

On application will give circular on
Kansas City Ry. & Light
SITUATION.
A. S. H. JONES,
25 Broad Street.

INVESTORS READ
The Wall Street Journal

PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS FOR MANUFACTURING OVERCOATS.—Army Building, Whitehall Street, New York City, N. Y., November 30, 1912.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received here until 1 o'clock P. M. December 30, 1912, at which exact time bids will be opened at the depots named below, for manufacture and delivery at either the New York, Philadelphia, or Chicago Depots of the Quartermaster Corps, 25,000 o. d. overcoats, specification No. 1159. Information upon application. M. GRAY ZALINSKY, Depot Q. M.

U. S. ENGINEER OFFICE, ROOM 2, CUSTOM House, Norfolk, Va., Dec. 28, 1912.—Sealed proposals for the removal of the iron Barge FLORIDA, sunk in Hampton Roads, Va., will be received at this office until 12 o'clock noon, Jan. 28, 1913, and then publicly opened. Information on application. E. EVELETH WINSLOW, Lt. Col., Engrs.

Sealed bids for stationery supplies will be received by the Secretary of State at his office, Capitol, Albany, New York, until January 15th, 1913, at 12 o'clock noon. Copies of specifications may be had upon application.

DISSOLUTION NOTICES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE firm of MILIUS, GUGGENHEIMER, SIMONS & CO. has dissolved and will be succeeded by the firm of SANFORD SIMONS & CO., composed of Sanford Simons and Uriah J. Hecht.

HENRY SIEGEL FRANK E. VOGEL

HENRY SIEGEL & CO
PRIVATE BANKERS
MAIN FLOOR

The 14th STREET Store NEW YORK

PER ANNUM **4½** PER CENT

INTEREST PAID ON DEPOSITS FROM $1. TO $3,000.

MONEY DEPOSITED ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 20TH WILL DRAW INTEREST FROM JANUARY 1ST. INTEREST READY AND PAYABLE IF DESIRED ON THE FIRST DAYS OF JANUARY AND JULY.

DEPOSITS MAY BE WITHDRAWN WITHOUT GIVING NOTICE.

WRITE FOR CIRCULAR.
Hours: 9 A. M. to 5.30 P. M.
F. L. CHAMPION, Cashier W. J. DOHERTY, Asst. Cashier

List No. 26.
Purchase and 20th Drawing.

Mexican 5 Per Cent.

Consolidated External Loan of 1899.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Bonds of this Loan, the numbers and particulars of which are given below, and which have been purchased in pursuance of the stipulations contained in Article 4 of the Agreement relating to the same, dated the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd July, 1899, were, together with the Coupons belonging to the said Bonds, from the 1st day of January, 1913, to the 1st day of January, 1915, produced cancelled to the undersigned Notary.

3 BONDS.
Nos. 000070 000795 [illegible]
For £1,000 each, Series A, £3,000

28 BONDS.
Nos. 004454 006446 008823 009488 011755 012637
005367 006929 008750 009526 011824 012638
005609 007364 008920 009529 011972 012838
005658 008382 009065 010627 012404 012834
006360 008384 009175 011218
For £500 each, Series B, £14,000

14 BONDS.
Nos. 022780 026506 028367 034489 038979 039475
024743 028250 029134 037041 039163 040699
024843 028320
For £200 each, Series C, £2,800

29 BONDS.
Nos. 042546 056389 062300 063199 068867 084728
045220 059478 062715 066763 071815 086698
049758 060613 062718 067662 081759 089605
052636 060650 062720 067683 082661 097244
054642 061396 062722 068373 084618
For £100 each, Series D, £2,900

30 BONDS.
Nos. 103065 109634 127190 142691 166696 181717
106764 109685 128649 142692 172810 181719
108643 120158 136418 144763 173835 183412
108844 125314 139929 144808 174843 183413
109632 125317 140294 144977 181713 183416
For £20 each, Series E, £600

1 Certificate, No. 82, issued by the Mexican Government in place of Bond No. 164097
For £20, Series E, £20

£23,320

And that the Bonds of this Loan, the numbers and particulars of which are given below, were in pursuance of the stipulations contained in said Article 4, this day drawn at the Offices of the Mexican Government Financial Agency, Finsbury Pavement House, London, for redemption at par on the 1st day of January next, when the interest thereon will cease, in the presence of Vivian Hugh Smith, Esq., a Partner in the firm of Morgan, Grenfell & Co.; Pedro Mariano del Paso, Esq., Secretary of the Financial Agency of the Mexican Government; and of Mr. John Dalton Venn, Notary Public of this City.

15 BONDS.
Nos. 000099 001309 001674 002731 003243 003549
000317 001364 002202 002846 003387 003582
[illegible] 001521 002361
For £1,000 each, Series A, £15,000

25 BONDS.
Nos. 004268 005834 007870 009430 011858 013882
004853 [illegible] 008481 010721 012328 014088
005153 006654 008866 010793 012757 014435
005236 007195 009200 011696 013336 015063
005790
For £500 each, Series B, £12,500

25 BONDS.
Nos. 016729 021117 022817 029349 034278 039474
017740 021217 023419 029722 037421 039561
018074 022715 025179 030700 037870 040021
020320 022755 026104 033776 038747 040489
021029
For £200 each, Series C, £5,000

60 BONDS.
Nos. 041774 049341 063046 070221 079873 089501
045056 052994 063094 072466 079989 090341
[illegible] 053512 063802 074685 080973 092366
045259 056404 064636 076283 084007 094483
045402 057766 064699 076582 085119 095018
046828 058557 064991 076716 086021 095205
046829 059269 065175 077142 086027 095388
047249 061164 065960 078606 087065 095432
047435 061721 067142 079650 087954 095517
048008 061824 067459 079675 088148 096294
For £100 each, Series D, £6,000

107 BONDS.
Nos. 096885 115665 131757 153268 169316 189942
100427 115837 131826 154229 169475 190499
101766 116992 132318 154340 169666 191443
102035 117642 132351 155687 169890 191922
103027 118154 133051 155962 172086 192003
103298 118224 133371 159169 173359 192760
103491 120357 135932 161083 173612 193217
103507 120511 138282 161417 176985 194005
104935 121175 139556 161851 177335 194297
107891 121272 141734 162128 177690 194459
107855 124866 142179 162590 179298 195970
107923 125681 142410 163876 179666 196657
107939 125725 143006 164753 181528 197166
111062 126249 143522 165383 181851 197301
112735 126933 144127 166382 184011 197451
113218 127123 147514 167440 187394 197551
114093 129146 147812 167975 187529 197948
114827 130251 152816 168413 188128
For £20 each, Series E, £2,140

Total £40,640

Holders of the above-mentioned drawn Bonds must present the same for payment, in London, at the Counting House of Morgan, Grenfell & Co.; in Berlin, at the Banking House of S. Bleichröder; at the Deutsche Bank, or at the Dresdner Bank; in New York, at the Counting House of J. P. Morgan & Co.; in Amsterdam, at the Banking House of Lippmann, Rosenthal & Co.; or, in Frankfort o/M, at the Frankfurter Filiale der Deutschen Bank, at the Filiale der Bank für Handel und Industrie, at the Deutsche Effecten & Wechsel Bank, at the Deutsche Vereinsbank, or at the Dresdner Bank.

P. M. del PASO,
Secretary of the Financial Agency of the Mexican Government.

Countersigned:
JOHN D. VENN, Notary Public,
(Firm H. de Pinna & John Venn,)
38, Gresham House,
Old Broad Street, E. C.
London, 11th December, 1912.

REORGANIZATION
OF
United States Motor Co.
ALDEN-SAMPSON MANUFACTURING COM'Y
BRUSH RUNABOUT COMPANY
COLUMBIA MOTOR CAR COMPANY
DAYTON MOTOR CAR COMPANY
AND
MAXWELL-BRISCOE MOTOR COMPANY

To the holders of certificates of deposit representing preferred and common stock of the United States Motor Company and of Columbia Motor Car Company:

NOTICE is hereby given that there has been called and is payable in New York funds to Central Trust Company of New York, the depositary named in the plan and agreement of reorganization dated October 10, 1912, at its office 54 Wall Street, New York City, on or before the close of business JANUARY 14, 1913, $2.40 in respect of each share of stock of the par value of $100 each, represented by their certificates of deposit, (a third installment of 10% of the amounts payable in respect to said shares.) Certificates of deposit must be presented at the time of such payment for notation thereon of the payment of said third installment. Failure to make such payment within the period limited as above will result, as provided in the plan and agreement of reorganization, in the exclusion of the holders of such certificates of deposit so defaulting from the benefits of the plan and forfeiture of the stock represented thereby and all previous payments made in respect thereof.

Dated, New York, December 30, 1912.

GEORGE W. DAVISON, Chairman,
CHARLES H. SABIN,
BENJAMIN STRONG, Jr.,
ALBERT H. WIGGIN,
JAMES C. BRADY,
EUGENE MEYER, Jr.,
NEAL RANTOUL,
ELISHA S. WILLIAMS,
Committee.
JOLINE, LARKIN & RATHBONE, Counsel,
A. S. CAMPBELL, Secretary,
54 Wall Street, New York City.

REPORTS OF TRUST COMPANIES.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE
CENTRAL TRUST CO. OF N.Y.
at the close of business on the 26th day of December, 1912:

RESOURCES.

Stock and bond investments, viz.:		
Public securities, market value		$5,118,589.06
Other securities, market value		25,735,474.49
Real estate owned		1,016,243.75
Mortgages owned		1,216,828.95
Loans secured by bond and mortgage, deed or other real estate collateral		306,600.00
Loans secured by other collateral		67,224,048.28
Bills purchased not secured by collateral		4,401,451.77
Overdrafts		541.75
Due from trust companies, banks, and bankers		12,519,956.77
Specie		11,618,561.60
Legal tender notes and notes of National banks		11,000.00
Other assets, viz.:		
Advances to trusts (secured)	$29,016.47	
Accrued interest entered	658,728.55	
Accrued interest not entered	341,120.00	
		1,028,865.02
Total		$120,198,961.39

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock		$3,000,000.00
Surplus, including all undivided profits		17,519,689.28
Reserved for taxes		105,606.88
Preferred deposits	$1,712,460.65	
Deposits not preferred	94,547,426.59	
Due trust companies, banks, and bankers	1,797,508.16	
Total deposits		98,057,404.40
Other liabilities, viz.:		
Officers' checks outstanding	$75,256.05	
Accrued interest entered	1,220,280.78	
Accrued interest not entered	221,484.00	
		1,517,020.83
Total		$120,198,961.39

State of New York, County of New York, ss.:

J. N. WALLACE, President, and M. FERGUSON, Secretary, of Central Trust Co. of N. Y., located and doing business at No. 54 Wall Street, in the City of New York, in said county, being duly sworn, each for himself, says the foregoing report is true and correct in all respects, to the best of his knowledge and belief, and they further say that the usual business of said trust company has been transacted at the location required by the Banking Law (Chap. 2 of the Consolidated Laws as amended) and not elsewhere; and that the above report is in the form prescribed by the Superintendent of Banks and is made in compliance with an official notice received from him, designating the 26th day of December, 1912, as the date of which such report shall be made.

J. N. WALLACE, President.
M. FERGUSON, Secretary.

Severally subscribed and sworn to by both deponents the 28th day of December, 1912, before me.

C. E. SIGLER,
[Seal of Notary.] Notary Public, Kings Co. 53.
Certificate filed in N. Y. Co. 53.

REPORTS OF STATE BANKS.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF
THE MANHATTAN COMPANY
at the close of business on the 26th day of December, 1912:

RESOURCES.

Stocks and bonds, viz.:		
Public securities, market value		$2,758,513.75
Other securities, market value		4,181,697.50
Real estate owned		900,000.00
Loans and discounts secured by other collateral		17,126,490.67
Loans and discounts without collateral		8,179,585.78
Due from trust companies, banks, and bankers		1,848,484.78
Specie		10,178,102.14
Legal-tender notes and notes of National banks		1,688,300.00
Cash items		14,872,827.49
Other assets, viz.:		
Accrued interest not entered		189,010.17
Total		$61,822,912.23

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock		$2,050,000.00
Surplus, including all undivided profits		4,764,121.22
Unpaid dividends, reserved for taxes, &c., viz.:		
Unpaid dividends	$170,708.27	
Reserved for taxes	46,787.37	
		217,495.64
Preferred deposits	$5,421,101.29	
Deposits not preferred	35,352,664.61	
Due trust companies, banks, and bankers	11,837,890.94	
Total deposits		52,611,656.84
Other liabilities, viz.:		
Cashier's checks outstanding	$2,075,112.98	
Accrued interest entered	58,793.55	
Accrued interest not entered	45,732.00	
		2,179,638.53
Total		$61,822,912.23

State of New York, County of New York, ss.:

STEPHEN BAKER, President, and D. H. PIERSON, Cashier, of Manhattan Company, a bank located and doing business at No. 40 Wall Street, in the City of New York, in said county, being duly sworn, each for himself, says that the foregoing report is true and correct in all respects, to the best of his knowledge and belief, and they further say that the usual business of said bank has been transacted at the location required by the banking law, (Chap. 2 of the Consolidated Laws as amended,) and not elsewhere, and that the above report is in the form prescribed by the Superintendent of Banks, and is made in compliance with an official notice received from him, designating the 26th day of December, 1912, as the day as of which such report shall be made.

STEPHEN BAKER, President.
D. H. PIERSON, Cashier.

Severally subscribed and sworn to by both deponents the 28th day of December, 1912, before me.

WALLACE S. JOHNSON,
Notary Public Westchester Co.
Certificate filed in New York Co. No. 9.
[Seal of Notary.]

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICES.

CERTIFICATE OF CONTINUATION OF LIMITED PARTNERSHIP.

State of New York, County of New York, ss.:

We, CHARLES W. TRIPPE, GEORGE M. WOOLSEY, WILLIAM J. PALMER, JOHN J. GILLIES and ALFRED E. FOUNTAIN, the subscribers, having heretofore formed a limited co-partnership pursuant to the provisions of the Partnership Law of the State of New York, now, for the purpose of renewing and continuing the same under and pursuant to the provisions of said law, do hereby certify:

First—That the name or firm under which said partnership is to be conducted is TRIPPE & COMPANY, and the County wherein the principal place of business is to be located is New York County.

Second—That the general nature of the business intended to be transacted by such co-partnership is a general commission brokerage business in New York, including the buying, selling, trading and dealing in stocks, bonds and other securities and commodities.

Third—That the names of all the general and special partners interested in said firm, and their respective places of residence, are as follows:

Charles W. Trippe, residing at 163 East 78th Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City and State of New York, a general partner.

George M. Woolsey, residing at 1 East 85th Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City and State of New York, a general partner.

William J. Palmer, residing at Bronxville, in the County of Westchester and State of New York, a general partner.

John J. Gillies, residing at 816 McDonough Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City and State of New York, a general partner.

Alfred E. Fountain, residing at 109 West 119th Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City and State of New York, the special partner.

All the aforesaid persons are of full age.

Fourth—That the amount of capital which the said Alfred E. Fountain, the special partner, has contributed to the common stock in cash is the sum of Fifty thousand dollars ($50,000); that said sum was so contributed in cash at the time the existing limited partnership, now about to be renewed or continued, was originally formed, and no portion thereof has since been withdrawn.

Fifth—That the time at which the renewed or continued limited partnership is to begin is the first day of January, 1913, at the termination of the original limited partnership, and the time at which it is to end is the 31st day of December, 1918, both days inclusive.

Dated December 23rd, 1912.

CHARLES W. TRIPPE,
GEORGE M. WOOLSEY,
W. J. PALMER,
JOHN J. GILLIES,
General Partners.
ALFRED E. FOUNTAIN,
Special Partner.

State of New York, County of New York, ss.:

On this 23rd day of December, in the year 1912, before me personally came Charles W. Trippe, George M. Woolsey, William J. Palmer, John J. Gillies and Alfred E. Fountain, to me known and known to me to be the individuals described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and they severally duly acknowledged to me that they executed the same for the purposes therein mentioned.

[Seal.] F. B. APPLETON, Jr.,
Notary Public No. 90, New York County.

State of New York, County of New York, ss.:

George M. Woolsey, being duly sworn, says that he is one of the general partners named in the foregoing certificate to which this affidavit is annexed.

That the sum of Fifty thousand dollars ($50,000) specified in said certificate to have been contributed to the common stock of the limited partnership therein referred to by the special partner therein named, Alfred E. Fountain, has been actually and in good faith paid in cash; that said sum was so contributed in cash at the time the existing limited partnership, now about to be renewed or continued, was originally formed, and no portion thereof has since been withdrawn.

GEORGE M. WOOLSEY.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of December, 1912.

[Seal.] F. B. APPLETON, Jr.,
Notary Public No. 90, New York County.

Do you wish to see your motor car? Read Automobile Exchange, Page 3.—Adv.

REPORTS OF STATE BANKS.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE
MOUNT MORRIS BANK
at the close of business on the 26th day of December, 1912:

RESOURCES.

Stocks and bonds, viz.:		
Public securities, market value		[illegible]
Other securities, market value		[illegible]
Real estate owned		254,464.63
Loans and discounts secured by bond and mortgage, deed, or other real estate collateral		195,665.00
Loans and discounts secured by other collateral		1,652,390.89
Loans and discounts without collateral		674,369.23
Overdrafts		20.41
Due from trust companies, banks, and bankers		406,863.71
Specie		435,732.94
Legal-tender notes and notes of National banks		82,209.00
Cash items		75,654.65
Accrued interest not entered		900.00
Total		$3,916,728.90

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock		$250,000.00
Surplus, including all undivided profits		[illegible]
Unpaid dividends, reserved for taxes, &c., viz.:		
Dividends	$66.00	
Reserved for taxes	5,350.03	
Building repair fund	7,465.73	
		12,881.76
Preferred deposits	$142,563.94	
Deposits not preferred	3,002,713.59	
Due trust companies, banks, and bankers	105,033.77	
Total deposits		3,250,311.30
Other liabilities, viz.:		
Cashier's checks outstanding	$39,625.62	
Accrued interest entered	871.42	
Accrued interest not entered	1,900.00	
		42,397.04
Total		$3,916,728.90

State of New York, County of New York, ss.:

L. M. SCHWAN, President, and LINDLEY H. HILL, Cashier, of Mount Morris Bank, a bank located and doing business at No. 85 East 125th Street, in the City of New York, in said county, being duly sworn, each for himself, says that the foregoing report is true and correct in all respects, to the best of his knowledge and belief, and they further say that the usual business of said bank has been transacted at the location required by the Banking Law, (Chap. 2 of the Consolidated Laws as amended,) and not elsewhere; and that the above report is in the form prescribed by the Superintendent of Banks, and is made in compliance with an official notice received from him designating the 26th day of December, 1912, as the day as of which such report shall be made.

L. M. SCHWAN, President.
LINDLEY H. HILL, Cashier.

Severally subscribed and sworn to by both deponents the 28th day of December, 1912, before me.

W. R. LEWIS,
[Seal of Notary.] Notary Public,
New York Co., No. 76. Reg. No. [illegible]

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE
BANK OF THE METROPOLIS
at the close of business on the 26th day of December, 1912:

RESOURCES.

Stocks and bonds, viz.:		
Public securities, market value		$1,000.00
Other securities, market value		1,098,950.33
Loans and discounts secured by bond and mortgage, deed, or other real estate collateral		62,000.00
Loans and discounts secured by other collateral		3,427,880.18
Loans and discounts without collateral		[illegible]
Overdrafts		[illegible]
Due from trust companies, banks, and bankers		[illegible]
Specie		[illegible]
Legal-tender notes and notes of National banks		[illegible]
Cash items		[illegible]
Other assets, viz.:		
Accrued interest entered	$1,219.84	
Accrued interest not entered	40,000.00	
		41,219.84
Total		$17,362,576.37

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock		$1,000,000.00
Surplus, including all undivided profits		2,250,766.55
Unpaid dividends; reserved for taxes, &c., viz.:		
Unpaid dividends	$144.00	
Reserved for taxes	32,175.78	
		32,319.78
Preferred deposits	$1,265,715.09	
Deposits not preferred	12,606,753.48	
Due trust companies, banks, and bankers	71,223.89	
Total deposits		13,943,692.46
Other liabilities, viz.:		
Cashier's checks outstanding	$113,283.96	
Accrued interest entered	22,513.62	
		135,797.58
Total		$17,362,576.37

State of New York, County of New York, ss.:

STEPHEN BAKER, President, and EDWIN S. LAFFEY, Cashier, of Bank of the Metropolis, a bank located and doing business at No. 31 Union Square, in the City of New York, in said county, being duly sworn, each for himself, says that the foregoing report is true and correct in all respects, to the best of his knowledge and belief, and they further say that the usual business of said bank has been transacted at the location required by the Banking Law, (Chap. 2 of the Consolidated Laws as amended,) and not elsewhere; and that the above report is in the form prescribed by the Superintendent of Banks, and is made in compliance with an official notice received from him designating the 26th day of December, 1912, as the day as of which such report shall be made.

STEPHEN BAKER, President.
EDWIN S. LAFFEY, Cashier.

Severally subscribed and sworn to by both deponents the 26th day of December, 1912, before me.

M. A. FOWLER,
[Seal of Notary.] Notary Public,
Kings County, No. 2.
Certificate filed in New York County, No. [illegible]

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF
THE BANK OF WASHINGTON HEIGHTS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK
at the close of business on the 26th day of December, 1912:

RESOURCES.

Stocks and bonds, viz.:		
Public securities, market value		[illegible]
Other securities, market value		[illegible]
Loans and discounts secured by bond and mortgage, deed, or other real estate collateral		[illegible]
Loans and discounts secured by other collateral		[illegible]
Loans and discounts without collateral		[illegible]
Overdrafts		[illegible]
Due from trust companies, banks, and bankers		[illegible]
Specie		[illegible]
Legal-tender notes and notes of National banks		[illegible]
Cash items		[illegible]
Other assets, viz.:		
Accrued interest entered	$3,204.66	
Accrued interest not entered	2,500.00	
		5,704.66
Total		[illegible]

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock		[illegible]
Surplus, including all undivided profits		[illegible]
Reserved for taxes, &c.	$4,100.00	
Unpaid dividends	2,022.00	
		[illegible]
Preferred deposits	$50,000.00	
Deposits not preferred	1,441,462.74	
Due trust companies, banks, and bankers	23,262.06	
Total deposits		[illegible]
Other liabilities, viz.:		
Cashier's checks outstanding	$17,591.67	
Accrued interest not entered	6,500.00	
		[illegible]
Total		[illegible]

State of New York, County of New York, ss.:

JOHN WHALEN, President, and WILLIAM CLARK, Cashier, of Bank of Washington Heights, a bank located and doing business at No. 1,915 Amsterdam Avenue, in the City of New York, in said county, being duly sworn, each for himself, says that the foregoing report is true and correct in all respects, to the best of his knowledge and belief, and they further say that the usual business of said bank has been transacted at the location required by the banking law, (Chap. 2 of the Consolidated Laws as amended,) and not elsewhere, and that the above report is in the form prescribed by the Superintendent of Banks, and is made in compliance with an official notice received from him designating the 26th day of December, 1912, as the day as of which such report shall be made.

JOHN WHALEN, President.
WILLIAM CLARK, Cashier.

Severally subscribed and sworn to by both deponents the 28th day of December, 1912, before me.

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OPEN SEATS ON CARS

Closed Autos with No Protection for Drivers a Paris Feature —A New Tire.

One of the features of this season's Paris show is the number of brougham-like bodies shown, in which no protection is afforded the driver, either by side doors or by roof projection. Several of the leading makes have bodies of this type, and when some concession is made to the feelings of the driver it takes the form, in the majority of instances, of a small leather hood, which shelters his head from the fury of the elements. Of course, on other stands many of the familiar limousines with inclosed front seat are also to be found.

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England now has a tire novelty from which much improvement is hoped. The new feature is found in the construction of the casing, the groundwork for the rubber coating. This is built up of helically-wound canvas strips, interleaved with rubber. This construction is asserted to form, together with its vulcanized tread, a much more homogeneous whole than the usual tire. At any rate, the makers are offering to replace free of charge any tire in which the casing gives way before the tread has worn off, which shows that they have the courage of their convictions.

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STAGE CHILDREN'S FESTIVAL.

Dorothy Grau, 2 Years Old, Brings Down the House.

If there is anybody who thinks that emotional actresses do not like dolls, that person has never attended one of the annual Stage Children's Christmas Festivals. There was one last night at the Criterion Theatre that crowded it to its capacity, the idea being that every child connected with the theatre, mostly by having a parent who was, should have a Christmas tree, candy, fruit, and gifts. And they were all allowed to stay up late.

The remark about emotional actresses was inspired by the sight of Inez Seabury, who must be at least 5 years old, holding an audience spellbound with her rendition of that poem about the person who'll "git you if you don't look out," and, when she appeared for an encore, accepting with joy a doll that was within two sizes of being as big as she was.

And Inez Seabury was not by any means the only stage child who showed the makings of an emotional actress, and was captivated by a doll gift. Down the long programme of entertainment provided exclusively by children of the stage for children of the stage, there was one exhibition of talent after another. By the time the stage part of the festival was over, there did not seem to be a single thing left to be done in the histrionic line that the children had not already done.

Take the Brewster Banjos, for instance. Rowland and Frederick, with sister Mildred at the piano, discovered sweet music like any pair of veterans. When they had finished doing it like ordinary players, and had got a pair of baseball bats and two red boxes that looked as if they contained what you use bats to hit, they put their arms over each other's shoulders and each one fingered the other's banjo with one hand while he played his own with the other. And when they got through with that, they put them behind their heads and worked them in some other odd way. Some banjoing, that!

And you should have heard Edith Lambert! recite a French-Canadian piece about how much better it was to be safe on land married to some nice Canadian girl than out on the lake in a boat when the wind blew like barrelfuls and then blew some more, or Jesse Spitzer when he was making good on his title of "the little man with the big voice." Then there was Marie Satler's toe dance, and Dorothy Rae Spedeck's song and fairy dance, and Mary Hall's parasol dance, and all sorts of other interesting things done by Rose Rabin, Nellie Hyman, Lillian Ellner, Miriam Conway, Tootsie Soloman, Evelyn Greenspeece, Lillian Kushin, George Rabin, Ethel Viola Brown, Kenneth Casey, and Mildred Lawrence, not to mention the three Hickmans—Vivian, Valerie, and Allen—who did a scene from "King John."

Besides these solo numbers there were children's ensembles from "The Lady of the Slipper" and "The Rose Maid" that seemed different, somehow, though they were exactly the things the children do every night for real, live, grown-up audiences. In the last of these two-year-old Dorothy Grau came very near being the hit of the show, for she had a little accident with her stocking which made her efforts to continue her comedy bring down the house. In this number Frances Warde, as the Princess, sang a song about her baby very charmingly.

At the end of the performance the children flocked to the concert room of the New York Theatre, where 400 covers for a dinner were laid, of which it is enough to say that when the youngsters arrived there they found a box of candy, an orange, and some fancy cakes at each place, and that the whole thing kept up at the same dizzy pace of joyousness. And then they went back to the Criterion Theatre and found not one but four Christmas trees, all glittering and shining. And each child got a present. It was a big night for the coming generation.

JOBBERS GUILTY, TOO.

They Return Furs Without Reason as Well as the Retailers.

Apropos of the recent complaint of a prominent fur man relative to the illegitimate return of that merchandise by retailers comes the complaint that not only have these unfair methods been in vogue for some time, but that the jobbers treat the manufacturers in a far worse manner.

"These houses usually order an immense quantity of fur goods," said a well informed member of the trade recently, "with the full intention of returning most of it when they see fit. This information is not imparted to the manufacturer when the order is placed, of course, but, nevertheless, the buyer knows it perfectly well when he orders the merchandise. The manufacturer considers them bona fide orders until the goods are returned without reason, or rather with reasons best understood by the jobber.

"There are instances where Western jobbing houses have ordered considerable quantities of these goods from various New York manufacturers, and returned approximately 88 per cent. of them later in the season, with the laconic expression, 'We return the following goods. Kindly credit them to our account.' This sounds bad enough as it is, but to rub it in, so to speak, the jobber often has the goods sent to him by freight and returns them by express.

"The fur business is interesting, but it never will be on a paying basis while cases like these are not the exception but the rule."

COAL SUPPLY UNEVEN.

Larger Centres Getting More Anthracite, but Remote Points Suffer.

The anthracite situation at the larger distributing centres is gradually but certainly swinging around to more normal conditions. Receipts are generally showing slight improvement, while the demand is becoming less insistent. Premiums are steadily easing off. However, conditions still remain hard at the more remote points. Arrivals there are small, with indications of becoming even smaller. Premium coal still commands a ready sale, although purchasers are becoming more independent on specifications.

The Eastern bituminous demand, according to Coal Age, is spotty and confined to small tonnages. Prices continue firm, however, and all arrivals find ready sale. The operators not under contract are netting handsome profits, and the appearance of more seasonable weather may effect a sharp advance in the prevailing premiums. The car supply is poor, and if there is no improvement in this respect the outlook will soon be serious.

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THE TIDES.

	High Water. A.M.	High Water. P.M.	Low Water. A.M.	Low Water. P.M.
Sandy Hook	0:25	0:42	6:33	7:00
Governors Island	0:54	1:05	7:20	7:46
Hell Gate	2:44	2:55	8:55	9:21

Arrived—Sunday, Dec. 29.

SS Campania, Liverpool, Dec. 21.
SS Celtic, Liverpool, Dec. 19.
SS New York, Southampton, Dec. 21.
SS Cameronia, Glasgow, Dec. 21.
SS Bantu, Santa Fe, Dec. 3.
SS Boveric, Algiers, Dec. 9.
SS Marie di Giorgio, Port Antonio, Dec. 24.
SS El Cid, Galveston, Dec. 23.
SS City of Atlanta, Savannah, Dec. 26.
SS Delaware, Philadelphia, Dec. 28.
SS Lackawanna, Barrow, Dec. 10.
SS El Cid, Galveston, Dec. 23.

Incoming Steamships.

DUE TO-DAY.		
Minnehaha	London	Dec. 19
Bordeaux	Havre	Dec. 12
Wells City	Swansea	Dec. 10
Sibia	London	Dec. 16
Trignac	Dunkirk	Dec. 11
Michigan	Antwerp	Dec. 11
Annie	Algiers	Dec. 12
Paul Paix	Swansea	Dec. 13
Volturno	Rotterdam	Dec. 12
Italia	Palermo	Dec. 13
Pannonia	Gibraltar	Dec. 17
Bramley	Hamburg	Dec. 13
Dinnamare	Naples	Dec. 12
Georgic	Liverpool	Dec. 17
Hudson	Vigo	Dec. 18
Alberto Treves	Seville	Dec. 14
Borinquen	San Juan	Dec. 24
Allemania	Inagua	Dec. 26
Buffalo	Hull	Dec. 15
Florizel	St. John's	Dec. 24
Montoso	Tampico	Dec. 21
Brazos	San Juan	Dec. 25
El Mundo	Galveston	Dec. 24
Creole	New Orleans	Dec. 25
Dakotan	Puerto Mexico	Dec. 23
Filomachi	Lisbon	Dec. 20
Gerty	Trieste	Dec. 13
DUE TO-MORROW.		
Touraine	Havre	Dec. 21
Adriatic	Naples	Dec. 21
Griqua	Algiers	Dec. 15
Havana	Havana	Dec. 28
Tivives	Port Limon	Dec. 23
Jose	Liverpool	Dec. 14
City of Montgomery	Savannah	Dec. 28
DUE WEDNESDAY.		
Arcadian	Bermuda	Dec. 30
Potsdam	Rotterdam	Dec. 21
Olinda	Cardenas	Dec. 25
Prinz Sigismund	Kingston	Dec. 28
Clyde	Kingston	Dec. 26
El Rio	Galveston	Dec. 25
Comal	Key West	Dec. 28
Mohawk	Jacksonville	Dec. 29

Outgoing Steamships.

	Mails Close.	Vessels Sail.
SAIL TO-DAY.		
Ancona, Naples	—	11:00 A.M.
Niagara, Havre	—	3:00 P.M.
Frutera, Belize	9:30 A.M.	12:00 M.
SAIL TO-MORROW.		
Campania, Liverpool	8:30 A.M.	12:00 M.
Algonquin, Turks Island	10:30 A.M.	12:00 M.
Grenada, Trinidad	10:00 A.M.	12:00 M.
Indian Prince, Argentina	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.
Honorius, Argentina	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.
Apache, Jacksonville	—	1:00 P.M.
Mendoza, Naples	—	11:00 A.M.
City of Atlanta, Savannah	—	3:00 P.M.
El Valle, Galveston	—	12:00 M.
SAIL WEDNESDAY.		
Metapan, Jamaica	9:30 A.M.	12:00 M.
Caracas, San Juan	6:30 A.M.	12:00 M.
Huron, Jacksonville	—	1:00 P.M.
Alamo, Galveston	—	1:00 P.M.
Antilles, New Orleans	—	12:00 M.

Supplementary mails are open on the piers of the American, English, German, and French transatlantic lines, until within ten minutes of the hour of sailing at double postage rates.

By Marconi Wireless.

SS Potsdam, Rotterdam to New York, was 1,080 miles E. at 10 A. M.

SS Neckar, Bremen to New York, was 1,250 miles E. at 11:40 A. M.; due Jan. 2, 8:30 A. M. North German Lloyd.

SS Touraine, Havre to New York, was 600 miles E. at noon; due 31st, 8:30 A. M. French Line.

SS Minnehaha, London to New York, was 300 miles E. at noon; due 30th, 9:30 A. M. Atlantic Transport Line.

SS Volturno, Rotterdam to New York, was 300 miles E. at 5 P. M.; due 30th, 5 P. M. Uranium Line.

FASTNET, IRELAND.

SS Lusitania, New York to Liverpool, was 329 miles W. at 1:15 P. M.; due Fishguard 30th, 10 A. M. Cunard Line.

SCOTLAND LIGHTSHIP.

SS Huron, Jacksonville to New York, was 255 miles S. at 7 P. M. Clyde Line.

SS El Mundo, Galveston to New York, was 110 miles S. at 5 P. M. Morgan Line.

SS Comal, Mobile to New York, was 56 miles S. at 7 P. M. Clyde Line.

SS Havana, Havana to New York, was 330 miles S. of Diamond Shoals at 8 P. M. Ward Line.

SS El Alba, Galveston to New York, passed Heald Bank Lightship at 4:24 P. M. Morgan Line.

Foreign Ports.

Arrived.

SS Columbia, at Moville, Dec. 29.
SS New York, at Southampton, Dec. 21.

Sailed.

SS Carmania, from Queenstown, Dec. 29.
SS California, from Moville, Dec. 28.
SS Armenian, from Liverpool, Dec. 29.

Transpacific Mails.

[These mails close in New York at 6:30 P. M.]

Destination and Steamer.	Close in N. Y.
Hawaii, Japan, Korea, and China (via San Francisco)—Shinyo Maru	Dec. 30
Hawaii, Guam, and Philippine Islands (via San Francisco)—U. S. Transport	Jan. 1
Japan, Korea, and China (specially addressed only) (via Tacoma) —	Jan. 2
Tahiti, Marquesas, Cook Islands, New Zealand, and Australia (specially addressed) (via San Francisco)—Moana	Jan. 3
Hawaii, Samoan Islands, New Zealand, (except parcel post,) and Australia, (except West,) (via San Francisco)—Ventura	Jan. 9
Hawaii, Fiji Islands, Samoan Islands, New Zealand, and Australia (except West) (via Vancouver)—Marama	Jan. 17
Japan, Korea, China, and Philipine Islands (via Vancouver)—Monteagle	Jan. 17

Pacific Mails.

Postmaster Morgan announces that mails of the following dates—Melbourne, Nov. 29; Sydney, Nov. 30; Auckland, Dec. 5, and Wellington, Dec. 6—which arrived at San Francisco per steamer Moana, were dispatched east at 6:40 P. M. Dec. 26. Due in New York on the morning of Tuesday, Dec. 31.

For Latest Shipping News See Page 1.

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Official Report Shows Gain of 500,000 Cases Over 1911—Corn Short.

In common with other lines, the holiday interruption kept buying light in the local canned goods market last week. Most of the buying for 1912 was completed before Christmas, and little remained to be done before the annual inventories were begun. At the moment it looks as if the jobbers' carryover for 1912 will be the lightest in some time. Corn continued to drag, and standard grades softened somewhat under the inattention of buyers. The fancy grades, however, were scarce and firmly held. According to statistics issued by the National Canned Goods Association, the 1912 pack of corn was somewhat lighter than that of last year. The present year's pack of tomatoes, however, was shown to be close to a half-million cases greater than that of 1911. The demand for this vegetable during the week was not great, but the market was generally steady on the basis of 82½ cents, f. o. b. Baltimore, for standard No. 3s. The 1912 pea pack, which was the largest in several years, also exceeded that of 1911. Trading in them, both in spot and futures, was of little consequence.

The dullness that had featured transactions in canned fruit and fish for the past several weeks continued, and little that could actually be called buying was done in either line. Prices were generally firm, however.

LATEST CUSTOMS RULINGS.

Ticket Vending Machines Not to be Classed as Printing Presses.

The Board of United States General Appraisers has decided that ticket-vending machines are not to be regarded as "printing presses" under the Tariff act of 1909. Judge Fischer says that while the articles may be printing machines they would not properly be denominated printing presses any more than would stock tickers, cash registers, or time registers.

The board reversed the Collector's assessment on so-called pencil tips composed of metal and rubber. They were returned for duty at 45 per cent. ad valorem as manufactures in chief value of metal. A. J. Hague & Co., the importers, asserted that rubber was the component of chief value, and asked duty at 35 per cent.

The board decided that W. P. Kearney is not liable for duty on a horse brought into this country from Canada for exhibition purposes.

The board overruled protests by William H. Hope and the J. Hope Engine and Manufacturing Company relating to the classification of Tam o' Shanter stones and grinding stones. Part of the merchandise was returned by the Appraiser as grindstones and the other part as nonenumerated manufactured articles.

COURT CALENDARS.

FEDERAL.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT—Bankruptcy discharges. C E Whigan, Schifin, W & G, L F Weickein, A Potter, S B Farman, I Bloom, F A Adams, De Foro & Z, J Stark. Under objections. P J Byrne, L Kutner, A L Trahern, F L Zimmerman, J Briskman, J Isaacson, J & A Di Muavo, Cohen & L, Dlugatsch & K, B & M Marcus, L & J Hirsh, Margulies S & E, S L Bruek & Sons. Adjourned cases. A Strellow, D A Stever, M Beberfeed, S Scherr, J & H Lazarus, P B Levy, Tucker & Reimer. Involuntary cases. Petition v. J I Eifferman, petition v. Alex Goldner. Motions. H Lightstone, M Goldberg, Schutzman & R, Conrad & B, M & S Wagman, Drucker & H, B Spatz, Westchester Wood & Co, Berghamf Realty Co, Straus Bramberg & Co, M Weinberg, J Raynid, L Rudolph, Manifold Book & Print Co, Robinowitz Bros, Jackson Mack Mfg Co, S W Selfridge, K Marks & Co, (4,) Leavett & G, (3,) N Y Pioneer Mfg Co, (5,) P L Lazarus, Levinson Bros, Levinson Co, Davidow Cloak & Suit Co, Holland House, K Marks Co, W H Maybeck & Co, B Effross, Bohm Pearl Button W'ks, H Reichman, Hotel Viking Co, L & S Stamp Co, International Post Card Co, Cantrell Cloth Co, Denny Co.

STATE.

New York County.

SUPREME COURT—Special Term—Part I., Amend, J. Litigated motions. 1—Matter of Pugsley Av. 1½—Holland v. Board of Education. 2—Peterson v. Peterson. 3—Matter of Bartholdi St. 4—Campbell v. Campbell. 5—Murray v. Berrian. 6—Sully v. Tiffany & Co. 7—Ind. Vineyard Co v. di Bianco. 8—Curran v. Oppenheimer. 9—Walters v. Walters. 10—Wahlgemuth v. Tobias. 11—Stern v. Phelan 12—Lawyers Mtge Co v. Birnbaum. 13—People ex rel Cosmos v. McAneny. 14—Siegle v. Cohen. 15—Butterick Pub Co v. Rich. 16—Salomon v. Farrell & Co. 17—Matter of Hanson. 18—Bachrach v. Seiken. 19—Matter of Friedman. 20—Sommelman v. Mutual Life Ins Co. 21—McKenzie v. Clyde S S Co. 22—Titus v. Cent Park, &c, R R. 23—People v Ventimiglia. 24—Flatauer v. Loser. 25—Hess v. Schiller. 26—McCadden v. Hoffman. 27—Matter of Holtzer. 28—Prettyman v. D'Ascoli. 29—Kugelman v. Ehret. 30—Matter of Peet. 31—Leary v. Sandbloom Iron Works. 32—Same v. same. 33—Thomson v. Ferrigan. 34—City Nat Realty Co v. Pescia. 35—Matter of Kelly. 36—Dwight v. Jeffray. 37—Church St Hat Co v. Hudson & Man R R. 38—Katz v. Dages Cont Co. 39—Harrison v. Ferris. 40—Gallagher v. Haywood. 41—Von Boskerck v. Haywood. 42—State Bank v. Jacobowitz. 43—Clark v. Hamburg Am Packet Co. 44—Steinman v. Conlon. 45—Wynne v. Wright. 46—Lachmann v. Rodt. 47—Matter of O'Neill. 48—Burger v. Burger. 49—Atwell v. Rabinoff. 49½—Beckman Est v. Jennings. 50—Koerber v. Koerber. 51—Cooperman v. Singer Sewing Mach Co. 52—Katz v. Katz. 53—Int Smokeless, &c, v. Honeywill. 54—Matter of St. Lawrence. 55—Orlando v. Bonn. 56—Matter of City of N Y. 57—Germania L I Co v. Picken. 58—Huguley v. Gardner. 59—Lederman v. Dunlop. 60—Korn v. Walker. 61—Mann Commercial Co v. Am Bonding Co. 62—Bowers v. Mahler. 63—Gebhard v. Neilson. 64—Wersall v. Waite. 65—Same v. Knopf. 66—Olman v. Orently. 67—Johnson v. McAtamney. 68—Vajana v. Vajana. 69—Pringle Bros v. Phila Casualty Co. 70—Hirsh v. Blair. 71—Anagnostopulos v. Anagnostopulos. 72—People ex rel Sohn v. Mashbicher Cong. 73—Matter of Button, (Terry.) 74—Haussler v Link. 75—Buckenhoff v. Moultrie. 76—Nichols v. Mail & Express Co. 77—Ward v. Ward. 78—People v. Daniels. 79—Dudley v. Glasgow Assn Corp. 80—Jackson v. Penfield. 81—Matter of Berliant. 82—Passantino v. Bonomalo. 83—Edman v. Wolkowisky. 84—Medhurst v. Medhurst. 85—Genl Motor Export Co v. Haines Co. 86—Spadofora v. Covernale. 87—Same v. same. 88—Matter of Potts. 89—Cox v. Cryder. 90—Heinemann v. Strauss. 91—Brain v. Gruber. 92—Methner v. Methner. 93—Brouse v. Beth David Hospital. 94—Kanrich v. same. 95—Hoffman v. Rich. 96—Goldstein v. Goldstein. 97—Small v. Witkin. 98—City of N Y v. Wecker. 99—Same v. same. 100—Elker v. Emergency Laboratories. 101—Murphy v. Murphy. 102—Wlasewitz v. Cidoroff. 103—McDonald v. McDonald. 104—Cohoa v. Ridgway Co. 105—Smith v. Bradley. 106—Lennig v. Lennig. 107—Matter of Balser.

SUPREME COURT—Special Term—Part II.—Page, J.—Ex parte business.

SURROGATES' COURT—Chambers—Cohalan, S.—Wills for probate: Mary Hayes, Jane S. Woolman, John C. Martin (1) John C. Martin (2.) Jacob Polansky, Leonard M. Thorm, Jr., Helen P. Bowdoin, John Honig, Charles Boyce, Fannie Joseph, Mary A. E. Hogan, Jennie Greenhoot.

SURROGATES' COURT—Trial Term—Fowler, S.—No day calendar.

CITY COURT—Special Term—Part I.—McAvoy, J.—Motions.

CITY COURT—Special Term—Part II.—Greene, J.—Ex parte business.

Referees Appointed—New York.

SUPREME COURT—Amend, J.—Astheiner v. Deichen—Isidor Wels. Bronx Borough Bank v. Irvine Realty Co.—Joseph H. Farges. In re Kohan—A. Mitchell Leslie.

Receivers Appointed—New York.

SUPREME COURT—Seabury, J.—Martin M. Stone v. Paul Gross—Melvin G. Palliser.

CITY COURT—Donnelly, J.—Samuel K. Johnson v. Meyer Brand—Henry F. Rabbe.

Kings County.

SURROGATE'S COURT—Ketcham, S.—Wills of Eliza Tyne, J. M. Taylor, Herman Lorenz, Rosa Geisseure, Michael Morrissey, Rosa Kempf, and Mary A. Lestoz. Accountings in the estates of Thomas Shiels, P. J. Vanderveer, Susan Gilligan, Abraham Herschaft, James McStay, John Bauman, M. Raderschatt, William Toxton, James McLaughlin, William Murphy, Martha Hartman, Nicholas Jacobs, E. E. Baldwin, Carmelo Giaccone, J. L. Domenhoffer, J. A. Lehman, Emma Fritsch, and Arnold Franciola. Estates of William Knott, W. H. Clark, Mary Rice, Mary Smith, and Giusseppe Verdone. Contested calendar: Wills of Robert Ryan, H. Whitford, and Jefferson Davis.

SUPREME COURT—Special Term—Kapper, J.—Ex parte business.

SUPREME COURT—Appellate Division—Motion Calendar—Jenks, P. J.; Hirschberg, Burr, Thomas, Carr, Woodward, Rich, JJ.—Lorena Ridgely Jones, appellant, v. Carolyn A. Dow, respondent. The Long Island Railroad Company, respondent, v. Laura M. Fairchild et al., appellants. Herbert W. Cramp, plaintiff, v. Chester A. Dady et al., defendants.

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Westchester County.

COUNTY COURT—Platt, J.—People v. Meyer Herschkowitz. People v. H Cohen.

Referees' Notices

SUPREME COURT, NEW YORK COUNTY.—Valerie Frankel Cooper, plaintiff, against Albert H. Frankel and Adele Frankel, his wife, defendants.

In pursuance of an interlocutory judgment for the partition of real property and the sale thereof, duly made and entered in the above entitled action, and bearing date the 6th day of February, 1912, I, the undersigned, the referee in said judgment named, will sell at public auction, at the Exchange Sales Rooms, Nos. 14-16 Vesey Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 14th day of January, 1913, at 12 o'clock noon on that day, by Joseph P. Day, Esq., auctioneer, the premises directed by said judgment to be sold, and therein described as follows:

PLOT C.

All those three certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, now known as numbers 240 and 242 Pearl Street and number 3 Burling Slip, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, and being severally bounded and described as follows:

(First) Beginning at a point on the southerly side of Pearl Street forming the southeasterly corner of Pearl Street and Burling Slip; running from thence on and up Pearl Street, easterly twenty-two feet six inches to the store and lot No. 242 Pearl Street; thence southeasterly, fifty-four feet four inches to the northerly side of the lot known as number 3 Burling Slip, at a point twenty feet six inches easterly from Burling Slip; thence on a westerly course, twenty feet six inches to Burling Slip; thence in a straight line, a northwesterly course along Burling Slip, Fifty-seven feet five inches to the point or place of beginning, as the said lot and alley in the rear thereof is laid down on a map of 242, 240 Pearl Street and No. 3 Burling Slip, made by Thomas R. Ludlam, City Surveyor, March, 1841, and filed in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York.

(Second) Beginning at a point on the southerly side of Pearl Street distant twenty-two feet six inches easterly from the most easterly corner of Pearl Street and Burling Slip; running thence on and up Pearl Street, easterly twenty-two feet eight inches to land of Thomas Suffern; thence a southeasterly course by said Suffern's land, fifty-one feet two inches; thence a westerly course, twenty feet eleven inches to a point on the north side of a lot known as number 3 Burling Slip, twenty feet six inches easterly from Burling Slip; thence northerly, in a straight line, fifty-four feet four inches by the easterly side of lot known as 240 Pearl Street to the place of beginning, as the said lot and the alley in the rear thereof is laid down on a map of 242, 240 Pearl Street and No. 3 Burling Slip, made by Thomas R. Ludlam, City Surveyor, March, 1841, and filed in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York.

(Third) Beginning at a point on the easterly side of Burling Slip fifty-seven feet five inches southerly from the southeasterly corner of Pearl Street and Burling Slip; running thence in a straight line easterly, forty-one feet five inches to the land of Thomas Suffern; thence southerly by said Suffern's land, twenty-one feet to the land of Augustus Greele; thence westerly, forty feet four inches by land of said Greele to Burling Slip; thence northwesterly, on Burling Slip, twenty-one feet two inches to the point or place of beginning, as the said lot is laid down on a map of 242, 240 Pearl Street and No. 3 Burling Slip, made by Thomas R. Ludlam, City Surveyor, March, 1841, and filed in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, the said three parcels of ground forming one contiguous plot.

The aforesaid premises are subject to a first mortgage of $36,000, due 13 March, 1914; interest at 4½ per cent. Also to second mortgage of $10,000, due 13 March, 1914, with interest at 4½ per cent.

PLOT D.

All that lot of land, with the buildings and improvements thereon, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, described as follows:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the easterly line of Pearl Street with the southerly line of Fletcher Street; and running thence southerly, along the easterly line of Pearl Street, fifteen feet one and one-half inches; thence easterly, thirty-five feet nine inches; thence northerly, thirteen feet nine inches to the southerly line of Fletcher Street; and thence westerly, along the line last mentioned, thirty-six feet nine inches to the place of beginning; be the said several dimensions more or less.

And also that other certain lot described as follows: Bounded westerly, on Pearl Street, twenty feet three and one-half inches; easterly, by a lot formerly in possession of Mayer, now or heretofore occupied by James Inglis, twenty-one feet five inches; northerly, on lot formerly of Winter, twenty-eight feet eight inches; southerly, by a house and lot of ground formerly in possession of Francis Atkinson, now or late of George Scriba, twenty-eight feet, more or less; be the said several dimensions more or less. The premises intended to be described being known by the street numbers two hundred and six and two hundred and eight (206-208) Pearl Street.

The aforesaid premises are subject to mortgage of $23,000, due 1 May, 1916; interest at 5 per cent.

PLOT E.

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of ground and the store thereon, situate, lying and being in the Second Ward of the City of New York, known as number 290 (two hundred and ninety) Pearl Street, and bounded as follows, to wit: Northerly in front on Pearl Street aforesaid, easterly by ground now or formerly belonging to Peter Bogart, in the rear by ground now or formerly belonging to Elijah Cock, and westerly by ground partly belonging to Barnet Andarlese and partly to Charles Vassar. Containing in breadth in front on Pearl Street aforesaid twenty-five (25) feet, and including a distance of forty-five (45) feet eight (8) inches from the front, twenty-five (25) feet in breadth, and the residue to the rear of said lot being in breadth twenty-one (21) feet six (6) inches, and the whole in depth from front to rear on each side eighty-three (83) feet nine (9) inches, be the dimensions more or less.

The aforesaid premises are subject to mortgage of $23,000, due 25 July, 1916; interest at 4½ per cent.

All of the aforesaid properties will be sold subject to state of facts shown upon an accurate survey and subject to existing tenancies.

Dated New York, December 20, 1912.

JACOB FRANK, Referee.

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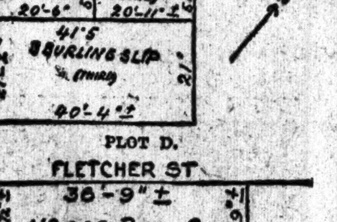
149 Broadway, New York City.

The following are diagrams of the various properties herein directed to be sold:

PLOT C.



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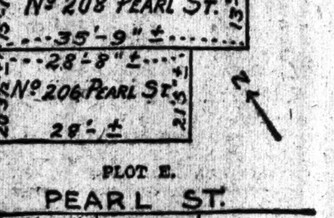

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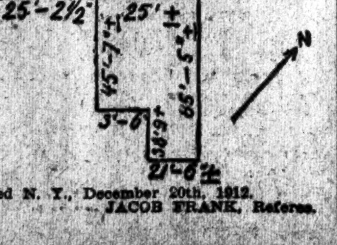

Dated N. Y., December 20th, 1912.

JACOB FRANK, Referee.

LEGAL NOTICES.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK. BROWN & SHARPE MANUFACTURING COMPANY, COMPLAINANT, AGAINST UNITED STATES MOTOR COMPANY, ALDEN-SAMPSON MANUFACTURING COMPANY, BRUSH RUNABOUT COMPANY, COLUMBIA MOTOR CAR COMPANY, DAYTON MOTOR CAR COMPANY AND MAXWELL-BRISCOE MOTOR COMPANY, DEFENDANTS.

Notice of Sale of All the Properties of All of the Above Named Defendants.

Pursuant to a decree of the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of New York, made in the above entitled cause, bearing date the 18th day of November, 1912, and filed in the office of the Clerk of said Court on said 18th day of November, 1912, the undersigned Receivers will, on Wednesday, the 8th day of January, 1913, between the hours of 11 o'clock in the forenoon and 3 o'clock in the afternoon, sell at public sale, in accordance with the provisions of said decree, the property therein directed to be sold, in Room 47 of the Post Office Building in the Borough of Manhattan, City, County and State of New York. The following is a description of the property to be sold in accordance with the provisions of said decree, namely:

All the right, title and interest of the undersigned, as Receivers of United States Motor Company, Alden-Sampson Manufacturing Company, Brush Runabout Company, Columbia Motor Car Company, Dayton Motor Car Company and Maxwell-Briscoe Motor Company, and all the right, title and interest of each of said companies, in and to all of the property of such company, namely:

PARCEL NO. 1.

PROPERTY OF UNITED STATES MOTOR COMPANY.

I. 5,000 shares of the preferred stock and 20,000 shares of the common stock of Alden-Sampson Manufacturing Company, of the par value of $100 each.

II. 16,000 shares of the preferred stock and 15,000 shares of the common stock of Briscoe Manufacturing Company, of the par value of $10 each.

III. 85,000 shares of the preferred stock and 100,000 shares of the common stock of Brush Runabout Company, of the par value of $10 each.

IV. 14,550 shares of the preferred stock and 8,118 shares of the common stock of Columbia Motor Car Company, of the par value of $100 each.

V. 1,120 shares of the capital stock of Columbus Circle Realty Company, of the par value of $100 each.

VI. 5,000 shares of the capital stock of Dayton Motor Car Company, of the par value of $100 each.

VII. 7,500 shares of the preferred stock and 7,500 shares of the common stock of Maxwell-Briscoe Motor Company, of the par value of $100 each.

VIII. 250 shares or certificates of interest of Maxwell-Briscoe Trust, of the par value of $100 each.

IX. 10 shares of the preferred stock and 8,486 shares of the common stock of National Motors Company, of the par value of $100 each.

X. 2,500 shares of the preferred stock and 2,500 shares of the common stock, of Providence Engineering Works, of the par value of $100 each.

XI. 4,000 shares of the preferred stock and 20,000 shares of the common stock of E. R. Thomas Motor Car Company, of the par value of $100 each.

XII. Any and all other property, real, personal and mixed, of whatsoever kind and wheresoever situated, owned or possessed by United States Motor Company, or by the Receivers of said Company at the date of the transfer of possession under said decree by said Receivers, including any and all shares of stocks, bonds and other securities, automobiles, cars, parts, materials, supplies, tools, office furniture, drawings, books, vouchers and other papers, patents, licenses, trade marks, trade names, good-will, contracts, bills and accounts receivable, whether owing from any of the companies any of the shares of the capital stock of which are owned or controlled by United States Motor Company, or otherwise owing, cash on hand and in bank, and all other property, whether or not herein specifically mentioned or referred to, owned or possessed by said company or its Receivers at the said date of the transfer of possession under said decree.

PARCEL NO. 2.

PROPERTY OF ALDEN-SAMPSON MANUFACTURING COMPANY.

I. All that certain piece or parcel of land with the buildings and improvements thereon, situate in that part of the south half of a Quarter Section 18 of the 10,000 Acre Tract, so called, lying west of the right of way of the Detroit, Grand Haven and Milwaukee Railroad, in the Village of Highland Park in the County of Wayne and State of Michigan, bounded and described as follows: Commencing at a point on the centre line of Oakland Avenue a distance of 932.10 feet northerly of the intersection of said centre line of Oakland Avenue, and the southerly line of said Quarter Section 18 running thence northerly along said centre line of Oakland Avenue, 400 feet to the north line of the south half of said Quarter Section 18 running thence easterly along said north line of the south half of said Quarter Section 18 1,554.22 feet to a point on the westerly line of the right of way of the Detroit, Grand Haven and Milwaukee Railroad, thence southerly along the westerly line of said right of way 271.26 feet to a point, thence north 63 degrees 20 minutes east, 17.05 feet to a point, thence southerly along the westerly line of said right of way 131.59 feet to a point, 934.86 feet northerly along said right of way from the south line of said Quarter Section 18; thence westerly on a line parallel with the southerly line of said Quarter Section 18 1,602.65 feet to the place of beginning, subject to the public right of way and rights in said Oakland Avenue; embracing 14.497 acres of land more or less. The above property is held under a contract dated July 1, 1910, due May 1, 1915, with the Stevens Land Company.

II. Any and all other property, real, personal and mixed, of whatsoever kind and wheresoever situated, owned or possessed by Alden-Sampson Manufacturing Company or by the Receivers of said Company, at the date of the transfer of possession under said decree by said Receivers, including any and all real estate, lands, leaseholds, buildings, plants, easements, appurtenances, machinery, equipment, automobiles and cars, whether finished or in process of manufacture, parts, materials, supplies, tools, office furniture, drawings, books, vouchers and other papers, patents, licenses, trade-marks, trade names, good will, contracts, bills and accounts receivable, whether owing from United States Motor Company or from any of the companies any of the shares of the capital stock of which are owned or controlled by said United States Motor Company, or otherwise owing, cash on hand and in bank, and all other property, whether or not herein specifically mentioned or referred to, owned or possessed by said Alden-Sampson Manufacturing Company or its Receivers at the said date of the transfer of possession under said decree.

PARCEL NO. 3.

PROPERTY OF BRUSH RUNABOUT COMPANY.

I. All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land with the buildings and improvements thereon erected situate in the Village of Highland Park, County of Wayne, State of Michigan, bounded and described as follows:

1. That certain piece or parcel of land situate in that part of the South-half of Quarter Section 18 of the 10,000 Acre Tract so called lying West of the right-of-way of the Detroit, Grand Haven & Milwaukee Railroad, and described as follows: Commencing at a point at the intersection of the centre line of Oakland Avenue a distance of 16½ feet northerly of the intersection of said centre line of Oakland Avenue and the southerly line of said Quarter Section 18 running thence northerly along said centre line of Oakland Avenue 500 feet to a point, running thence easterly on a line parallel with the southerly line of said Quarter Section 18 1,635.11 feet to a point on the westerly line Right-of-way of the Detroit, Grand Haven and Milwaukee Railroad, thence southerly along the westerly line of said Right-of-way 418.03 feet to a point 100 feet northerly from the south line of said Quarter Section 18, thence westerly on a line parallel with the southerly line of said Quarter Section 18 200 feet to a point, thence southerly on a line parallel with the westerly line of said Section 83.45 feet to a point 16.5 feet northerly of said southerly line of said Quarter Section, thence westerly on a line parallel to the southerly line of said Quarter Section 18 1,474.70 feet to the place of beginning, subject to the public right of way and rights in said Oakland Avenue, embracing 18.611 acres, more or less. The above property is held under a contract dated June 21, 1910, due November 1, 1913, with the Stevens Land Company.

2. That certain piece or parcel of land situated in that part of the south half of Quarter Section 18 of the 10,000 Acre Tract lying west of the right-of-way of the Detroit, Grand Haven and Milwaukee Railroad, described as follows: Commencing at a point on the centre line of Oakland Avenue a distance of 16.5 feet northerly of the intersection of said centre line of Oakland Avenue, and the southerly line of said Quarter Section 18; running thence easterly on a line parallel with the south line of said Quarter Section 18 1,474.71 feet to a point; thence northerly on a line parallel with the westerly line of said Section 83.45 feet to a point; thence easterly on a line parallel with the south line of said Quarter Section 200 feet to a point on the westerly line of the Right-of-way of the Detroit, Grand Haven and Milwaukee Railroad; thence southerly on the westerly line of said Right-of-way 100 feet to the intersection of said Right-of-way and the south line of said Quarter Section 1,675.45 feet to the intersection of said south line of said Quarter Section and the centre line of Oakland Avenue; then northerly along the centre line of Oakland Avenue 16.5 feet to the place of beginning, embracing one and sixteen-thousandths Acres more or less, subject to the public right of way and rights in said Oakland Avenue. The above described property is held under the same contract as set forth under the foregoing paragraph 1.

3. That certain piece or parcel of land situated in that part of the South Half of the Quarter Section 18 of the 10,000 acre tract, so called, lying west of the Right-of-way of the Detroit, Grand Haven and Milwaukee Railroad, and described as follows: Commencing 516½ feet north of the intersection of the centre line of Oakland Avenue and the south line of said Quarter Section 18 at a point in the centre line of said Oakland Avenue, thence northerly along said centre line of Oakland Avenue 415.60 feet, thence easterly 1,602.65 feet to westerly line of Right-of-way of the Detroit, Grand Haven and Milwaukee Railroad, thence southerly 416.83 feet, thence easterly 1,602.11 feet to place of beginning. The above described property is held under the same contract as set forth under the foregoing paragraph 1.

II. All those certain lots, pieces, or parcels of land, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate in the City of Detroit, County of Wayne, State of Michigan, bounded and described as follows: Lots 32 to 38 inclusive of Guilloz & Whitaker's Subdivision of Lot 12, Quarter Section 58, and part of Quarter Section 43, 10,000 Acre Tract Hamtramck (now Detroit) excepting and reserving therefrom the westerly 10 feet of Lot 38 above described, conveyed to the City of Detroit by deed dated January 25, 1908, and recorded February 11, 1908, in Liber 709, Page 422 of Deeds, said premises being on the south side of Euclid Avenue, formerly called Sidney Avenue. Lots 1, 2, and 3 of Guilloz & Whitaker's Subdivision of Lot Number 12, Quarter Section 58, and part of quarter section 43 10,000 Acre Tract Hamtramck (now Detroit) excepting and reserving therefrom the westerly 15 feet of Lot 3 above described, conveyed to the City of Detroit, by deed dated January 25th, 1908, and recorded February 11, 1908, in Liber 709, page 422 of deeds, said premises being on the North side of Euclid Avenue, formerly called Sidney Avenue. Lots 90, 91 and 92 of J. A. Moeller's Subdivision or part of quarter section 43 10,000 Tract, Hamtramck, (now Detroit), excepting and reserving therefrom the westerly 15 feet of Lot 90 above described, conveyed to the City of Detroit by deed dated January 25, 1908, and recorded February 11, 1908, in Liber 709, page 422 of Deeds, said premises being on the North side of Philadelphia Ave. formerly called Moeller Street. Also a parcel of land, formerly a public alley, 8 feet wide lying between Lot 92 of J. A. Moeller's Subdivision above described and the Detroit, Grand Haven & Milwaukee Railroad right of way and extending from the South Line of Philadelphia Avenue to the northerly line of the public alley lying south of and parallel with Philadelphia Avenue; also a parcel of land, formerly a public alley, 10 feet wide lying between Lot 1 of Guilloz & Whitaker's Subdivision above described and the Detroit, Grand Haven and Milwaukee Railroad right of way, and extending from the South line of the aforesaid alley to the north line of Euclid Avenue, (formerly Sidney Avenue); also a parcel of land formerly a public alley, 10 feet wide lying between Lot 32 of Guilloz & Whitaker's Subdivision above described and the Detroit, Grand Haven & Milwaukee Railroad right of way, and extending from the south line of Euclid (formerly Sidney) Avenue to the north line of the public alley lying south of and parallel with Euclid Avenue; also all that parcel of land formerly a public alley, lying in the rear of lots 1, 2 and easterly 15 feet of lot 3 of Guilloz & Whitaker's Subdivision above described and lots 92, 91 and the easterly 15 feet of lot 90 of J. A. Moeller's Subdivision above described. The above described property is held under a contract dated October 1, 1910, and due October 1, 1916, with the Independent Stove Company.

III. Any and all other property, real, personal and mixed, of whatsoever kind and wheresoever situated, owned or possessed by Brush Runabout Company or by the Receivers of said Company, at the date of the transfer of possession under said decree by said receivers, including any and all real estate, lands, leaseholds, buildings, plants, easements, appurtenances, machinery, equipment, automobiles and cars, whether finished or in process of manufacture, parts, materials, supplies, tools, office furniture, drawings, books, vouchers and other papers, patents, licenses, trademarks, trade names, good will, contracts, bills and accounts receivable, whether owing from United States Motor Company or from any of the companies any of the shares of the capital stock of which are owned or controlled by said United States Motor Company, or otherwise owing cash, on hand or in bank, and all other property whether or not herein specifically mentioned or referred to, owned or possessed by said Brush Runabout Company or its Receivers at the said date of the transfer of possession under said decree.

PARCEL NO. 4.

PROPERTY OF COLUMBIA MOTOR CAR COMPANY.

I. All those certain pieces or parcels of land with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate in the City and County of Hartford, State of Connecticut, bounded and described as follows:

1. North in part by Park River and in part by the south branch of Park River; East by Laurel Street; South by Park Street; and West by the south branch of Park River.

2. Northerly by land formerly owned by Joseph and Joshua Davenport and now owned by Rudolph Raphael and wife et al.; Easterly by Park River, formerly called Hog River; southerly by Park Street; and westerly by land of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company. Subject, however, to all rights of way of said Rudolph Raphael and the other owners of the property adjoining on the north across said premises.

3. Beginning at a point in the east right of way line of the N. Y., N. H. and H. R. R. Co., said point being 263.12 ft. northerly from a mere stone in the southwest corner of land now or formerly belonging to Augusta C. Lefke, at which point a mere stone is to be set; thence easterly by an angle to the right of 74 degrees and 26 minutes 166.97 feet to a point where a mere stone is to be set (said angle being turned from a tangent to the N. Y., N. H. and H. R. R. Co.'s right of way curve at the above point;) thence easterly by an angle to the right of 13 degrees and 56 minutes 94.18 feet to a point where a mere stone is to be set; thence southerly by an angle to the right of 102 degrees 55½ minutes 95.82 ft. to a point where a mere stone is to be set; thence southerly by an angle to the right of 11 degrees and 27 minutes 122.97 ft. to a point where a mere stone is to be set; thence southerly by an angle to the left of 15 degrees and 8 minutes 69.4 ft. to a point in the southern boundary line of property now or formerly belonging to Augusta C. Lefke (and now owned by Rudolph Raphael, et al.), at which point a mere stone is to be set (said mere stone being 40.64 ft. east of a mere stone now standing in the south property line of said Lefke); thence easterly in a line which is a continuation of the south boundary line of said property hereby conveyed in line of said grantor's other land to the south branch of the Park River; thence northeasterly at low water mark following the meanderings of said south branch of the Park River to its intersection with the north branch of the Park River; thence at low water mark northwesterly, westerly, southerly, westerly, northwesterly and southwesterly following the meanderings of the north branch of the Park River to its intersection with the easterly right-of-way line of the N. Y., N. H. and H. R. R. Co.; thence southerly along said easterly right-of-way line about 344 ft. to the place of beginning; bounded north by low water mark of the north branch of the Park River; bounded east by the low water mark of the north and south branches of the Park River; bounded west by the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company and low water mark of the north branch of Park River and other land of the Grantors; bounded south by low water mark of the south branch of the Park River, other land of said Raphael et al., and other land of the Grantors, partly in each, containing four and seventy-two one-hundredths acres, more or less.

II. Any and all other property, real, personal and mixed, of whatsoever kind and wheresoever situated, owned or possessed by Columbia Motor Car Company or by the Receivers of said Company, at the date of the transfer of possession under said decree by said Receivers, including any and all real estate, lands, leaseholds, buildings, plants, easements, appurtenances, machinery, equipment, automobiles and cars, whether finished or in process of manufacture, parts, materials, supplies, tools, office furniture, drawings, books, vouchers and other papers, patents, licenses, trade-marks, trade names, good will, contracts, bills and accounts receivable, whether owing from United States Motor Company or from any of the companies any of the shares of capital stock of which are owned or controlled by said United States Motor Company, or otherwise owing, cash on hand and in bank, and all other property whether or not herein specifically mentioned or referred to, owned or possessed by said Columbia Motor Car Company or its Receivers at the said date of the transfer of possession under said decree.

PARCEL NO. 5.

PROPERTY OF DAYTON MOTOR CAR COMPANY.

I. All those certain pieces or parcels of land with the buildings and improvements thereon situate in the City of Dayton, County of Montgomery, and State of Ohio, bounded and described as follows:

1. (Tract No. 11.) That certain parcel or tract of land situated in the City of Dayton, County of Montgomery, State of Ohio, In Lots numbered 1071, 1073, 4469, 4470, 4864, 4865, 4866, 4867, on the revised plat of said City of Dayton. Also all of In Lot 4468 on said revised plat of said City of Dayton, excepting so much thereof as was taken off the north end for the opening of State Street. And also in Lot numbered 1072 and the north part of In Lot numbered 1073 on said revised plat of said City of Dayton, said In Lot number 1072 and the north of said In Lot number 1073, being bounded as follows, viz.: Beginning on the west line of Fremont Ave. at the northeast corner of said In Lot numbered 1072; thence southwestwardly along the northern boundary of said In Lot numbered 1072 131 feet to the northwest corner of said In Lot; thence southeastwardly, on a line parallel with Wayne Avenue, along the western boundary lines of said In Lots numbered 1072 and 1073, 24.67 feet to a point on the western boundary of said In Lot numbered 1073; thence eastwardly on a line parallel with the southern boundary line of said In Lot numbered 1072, being a line at right angle to the west line of Fremont Avenue 106 feet to the eastern boundary of said In Lot number 1073, the west line of Fremont Avenue; thence northwesterly along the west line of Fremont Avenue 79 feet to the place of beginning. Also the strip of ground formerly an alley lying next east of and adjoining Lot numbered 4864, extending from State Street southwardly, which alley was vacated by the City Council of said City of Dayton, by resolution passed July 2nd, 1902.

2. (Tract No. 12.) That certain parcel or tract of land situate in the County of Montgomery, State of Ohio, being part of fractional section No. 5, T. 1, R. 7, M. R's in Montgomery County, Ohio, bounded as follows: Beginning at the northwest corner of lot No. 4 on a plat and subdivision of part of said section made by J. S. Binkerd, Surveyor, on November 19, 1866, and recorded in plat book A, pages 178 and 179 of the records of said County and conveyed by said Daniel Kiser to Charlotte Protsman; thence N. 1 degree 45 minutes East 12 chains to the north line of said section; thence south 88 degrees 20 minutes east 20.18 chains to the middle of the Dayton & Michigan Railroad Track; thence South 1 degree 25 minutes west 12.15 chains, along the middle of said track to a corner; thence north 88 degrees 15 minutes west 20.28 chains to the place of beginning, containing 24.51 acres. The said premises being lot No. 5 as designated and described on said plat and subdivision, save and except therefrom 5¼ acres on the east side of the premises above described heretofore conveyed by said Grantors to one Lisetta Mittelstetter and by said Lisetta Mittelstetter conveyed to one Peter Steiger. Said Deed from said Lisetta Mittelstetter to said Peter Steiger being recorded in Deed Book No. 140, page 179 of the Deed Records of Montgomery County, Ohio. Also excepting from said tract above described so much of same as is held by the Dayton & Michigan Railway for a right of way by virtue of the deed recorded in Vol. 244, page 64, of the deed records of Montgomery County, Ohio. Said above described tract is now in the City of Dayton, Montgomery County, Ohio, by virtue of recent ordinance passed by the City Council of said City; and by virtue of certain proceedings had thereunder. Subject to a certain mortgage made by Charles A. Craighead to Harrison H. Kiser, originally securing the payment of $15,000.00 of which amount the sum of $6,500.00 and interest is due.

3. (Tract No. 13.) That certain parcel or tract of land situated in the County of Montgomery, State of Ohio, being part of Lot No. 5 of Daniel Kiser's redivision of part of Section 5 Town 1 Range Seven M. R's bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the intersection of the centre line of the County Road and the centre line of the Dayton and Michigan Railroad track being the southeast corner of said Lot No. 5; thence north 87 degrees 40 minutes west 4.55¼ chains to a planted stone set for a corner; thence north 1 degree 33 minutes east 12.18 chains to the north line of said section; thence south 88 degrees 22 minutes east 4.55¼ chains to the middle of the Dayton & Michigan Railroad track; thence south 1 degree 33 minutes west 12.15 chains to the place of beginning, containing 5¼ acres, subject to the easement and the rights of the Dayton and Michigan Railroad Company contained in Entry in case No. 21660; Common Pleas Court of Montgomery County, Ohio, and in conveyance from Daniel Kiser, Jr., to the Dayton & Michigan Railroad Company, recorded in Volume 244, page 64, of the Deed Records of Montgomery County, Ohio. Said above described tract is now in the City of Dayton, Montgomery County, Ohio, by virtue of recent ordinance passed by the City Council of said City, and by virtue of a certain proceedings had thereunder. Subject to a certain mortgage made by Charles H. Craighead to Harrison H. Kiser, originally securing the payment of $15,000.00 of which amount the sum of $6,500.00 and interest is due.

4. (Plant No. 1.) That certain parcel or tract of land, situated in the City of Dayton, County of Montgomery and State of Ohio, and being a strip of land formerly an alley lying between lots numbered 872 and 912 and extending from Bacon Street northwardly, which alley was vacated by the City Council of the City of Dayton by resolution passed November seventh, 1890.

5. (Tract No. 16.) That certain parcel or tract of land purchased from the Estate of Jacob Renner, situated in the City of Dayton, County of Montgomery and State of Ohio, being lot numbered 5029 of the revised and consecutive numbers of lots on the plat of said City of Dayton, Ohio.

6. (Tract No. 17.) That certain parcel or tract of land situated in the City of Dayton, County of Montgomery and State of Ohio, being lot numbered 5028 of the consecutive numbers of lots on the revised plat of said City of Dayton, Ohio.

7. (Tract No. 18.) That certain parcel or tract of land purchased from the Stoddard Mfg. Company and deeded to the Dayton Motor Car Company, its heirs and assigns, situated in the City of Dayton, County of Montgomery and State of Ohio, being lots numbered 873, 874, 875, 876, 877 and 878 of the revised and consecutive numbers of lots on the revised plat of said City of Dayton.

8. (Tract No. 19.) That certain parcel or tract of land situated in the City of Dayton, County of Montgomery and State of Ohio, being lots numbered 871, 872, 911, 912, 5004, 5005, 5006, 5007, 5030, 5031, 5032, 5033, 5034, of the revised and consecutive numbers of lots on the revised plat of said City of Dayton.

II. Lease dated July 22, 1904, made by The Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis Railway Company to The Stoddard Manufacturing Company and assigned by the latter Company to The Dayton Motor Car Company under date of July 24, 1911. The duration of the lease is at the will of the party of the first part and may be terminated upon six months' written notice to the party of the second part. The annual rental is $11.25, payable in advance on the 1st day of June in each year. The premises demised by the above described lease are the following:

(1) Beginning at a point in the South line of land of the Little Miami Railroad Company, 67 feet, westwardly, from the west line of McDonough Street, and 50 feet, southwardly, from the south line of Third Street; thence westwardly, along said south line of land of the Little Miami Railroad Company, 58 feet to a point; thence, eastwardly, by a curved line, convex to the north, whose middle ordinate is 1.5 feet, 58.5 feet, more or less, to the place of beginning; containing an area of 43.6 square feet, or one-thousandth of an acre, more or less; said premises to be used for platform purposes.

(2) Beginning at a point in the west line of Lot Number 5034, of the revised plat of the City of Dayton, 1 foot south of the northwest corner of said Lot; thence, southwardly, along said west line of Lot Number 5034, 4 feet, to the centre line of a former ten foot alley, now vacated; thence westwardly, along the last named line, 63 feet, to a point; thence eastwardly 63.13 feet, more or less, to the place of beginning; containing an area of 126 square feet, or three thousandths of an acre, more or less; said premises to be used for platform purposes.

(3) So much of lots Numbers 870 and 913, of the revised plat of the City of Dayton, and of unopened alleys adjoining said Lots, as are occupied by the track scale located in siding number 29, of the Little Miami Railroad, being further described as follows: Beginning at a point in the south line of said Lot Number 870, 42.7 feet from its southwest corner; thence North 18 degrees 36 minutes West 6.5 feet, to a point; thence North 71 degrees 24 minutes east 39.6 feet to a point; thence south 18 degrees 36 minutes East 10.2 feet, to a point 2 feet south of the south line of Lot Number 913; thence south 71 degrees and 24 minutes west 12.6 feet, to a point; thence south 18 degrees 36 minutes East 4 feet, to a point; thence South 71 degrees 24 minutes West 10 feet, to a point; thence north 18 degrees 36 minutes west 4 feet to a point; thence south 71 degrees 24 minutes west 17 feet to a point; thence north 18 degrees 36 minutes west 3.7 feet, to the place of beginning. Containing an area of 443.92 square feet, or one hundredth of an acre, more or less; said premises to be used for a site for a track scale.

III. Any and all other property, real, personal and mixed, of whatsoever kind and wheresoever situated, owned or possessed by Dayton Motor Car Company or by the Receivers of said Company, at the date of the transfer of possession under said decree by said Receivers, including any and all real estate, lands, leaseholds, buildings, plants, easements, appurtenances, machinery, equipment, automobiles and cars, whether finished or in process of manufacture, parts, materials, supplies, tools, office furniture, drawings, books, vouchers and other papers, patents, licenses, trade-marks, trade names, good will, contracts, bills and accounts receivable, whether owing from United States Motor Company or from any of the companies any of the shares of the capital stock of which are owned or controlled by said United States Motor Company, or otherwise owing, cash on hand and in bank, and all other property whether or not herein specifically mentioned or referred to, owned or possessed by said Dayton Motor Car Company or its Receivers at the said date of the transfer of possession under said decree.

PARCEL NO. 6.

PROPERTY OF MAXWELL-BRISCOE MOTOR COMPANY.

I. Kingsland Point Property. All that lot or parcel of land with the buildings and improvements thereon and land under the waters of the Hudson and Pocantico Rivers, in the village of North Tarrytown, Town of Mt. Pleasant, County of Westchester, and State of New New York, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the westerly boundary line of land of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, which point is marked by an iron rod set in the ground, said point being also the northeasterly corner of the premises herein described, and running thence north 56° 30' west, 776 feet to another iron rod set in the ground marking the northwesterly corner of the premises herein described; thence at right angles with the last mentioned line south 33° 30', west 743.5 feet to a point in the Hudson River; thence at right angles with the last mentioned line south 56° 30' east 200 feet; thence north 84° 50' east 870 feet to another iron rod placed in the westerly line of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company's property, which last iron rod is distant southerly measured along said westerly line of said Railroad property 224 feet from the place of beginning, and thence northerly along said westerly line of said Railroad property 224 feet to the point or place of beginning, containing 10 528-1,000 acres more or less.

II. (Rand Drill Property.) All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the buildings and improvements thereon, and land under water, situated, lying and being in the village of North Tarrytown, Town of Mount Pleasant, County of Westchester and State of New York, bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at a point where the northerly side of Beekman Avenue intersects the westerly side of the right of way of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, and running thence along the northerly and northwesterly side of Beekman Avenue the following course and distances, to wit: South 76° 52', west 404 feet, south 64° 49', west 50 feet, south 37° 21', west 75 feet, south 24° 06', west 72 feet, south 23° 19', west 66 feet, and south 1° 21', east 42 feet to land formerly of Nathaniel W. Husted, now deceased; thence along the last mentioned land north 54° 22', west 46 feet, to the dividing line between land under water of the Hudson River granted to Armenia Husted and others on October 29, 1857, by the People of the State of New York and land formerly of Thomas J. and Elizabeth Lawrence, the latter being part of the premises herein described; thence along said dividing line and along the southerly side of land granted to Thomas J. and Elizabeth Lawrence by the People of the State of New York on January 30, 1886, on a course south 81° 56', west 624 feet, to the southwesterly corner of the land so granted; thence partly along the westerly exterior on line of the land so granted and partly along the westerly exterior line of land so granted by the People of the State of New York to Charles Smith on July 1, 1871, on a course north 70° 45', west 884 feet to the northwesterly corner of the parcel so granted to said Charles Smith; thence along the northerly side of the parcel so granted to Charles Smith on a course north 81° 56', east 722.04 feet; thence south 60° 50', east 228 feet to the end of the wall near the original line of high-water mark of the Hudson River and adjoining land formerly of Ambrose C. Kingsland; thence along the last mentioned land south 61° 06', east 177 feet to a point, thence still along last mentioned land south 27° 10', east 100.95 feet to the northwesterly side of land of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, thence along the last mentioned land south 19° 18', west 87.88 feet, to a point, thence still along said last mentioned land on a curve to the left with a radius of 8171 feet a distance of 246.27 feet to the place of beginning. The above property is subject to a mortgage dated May 7, 1907, due November 7, 1914, made by the Maxwell-Briscoe Motor Co. to the Ingersoll Rand Co. to secure the sum of $110,000.00, of which sum there has been paid $70,000, leaving a balance due of $40,000.

III. (Emberson Property.) That certain piece or parcel of land with the buildings and improvements thereon situated, lying and being on Beekman Avenue in the Town of Mount Pleasant, in the village of North Tarrytown, in the County of Westchester and State of New York, bounded and described as follows: North by Beekman Avenue; west by River Street; south by land of Anson Husted and another, and east by Hudson Street.

IV. Also all those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land with the buildings and improvements thereon situated in New Castle, Henry County, Indiana, bounded and described as follows: Commencing at a point 803.5 feet east of the northwest corner of Section 23, Township 17 North, Range 10 east, thence north 89° 55' east 1851 feet to the quarter section corner, thence south 4 minutes, west 1376.5 feet to a corner stone, thence south 89° 55' west 1333.5 feet to a corner stone, thence north on the quarter section line 46.4 feet to the quarter stone, thence south 89° 53' west 547.845 feet to a corner stone in the centre of 18th Street extended; thence north 22', east 308.18 feet to a corner stone in the centre of said 18th Street; thence south 89° 53' west 596.87 feet to a corner stone in the centre of the Louisville Turnpike; thence north 20° 57', west 406.1 feet to iron pin in centre of pike 34.5 feet east of the section line; thence north 89° 55', east 771.86 feet to a cornerstone on the east property line of 18th Street; thence north 22' east 643.5 feet to the place of beginning, containing 65.7 acres, more or less. Subject to certain rights of way for side tracks heretofore granted by Benjamin Briscoe and Louis Briscoe to the Fort Wayne, Cincinnati & Louisville Railroad Company, by a deed bearing date August 11th, 1908.

V. Lots Numbers 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, all in Randalls first addition to New Castle.

VI. That certain lot, piece, or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements thereon, situated in the Town of Cranston, State of Rhode Island, lying west of and adjoining the land delineated upon "Map of South Elmwood, Division No. 1, drawn by S. N. Keith, June, 1874," and recorded in the town clerk's office in said Cranston, in Plat Book No. 3, at Page 7, and bounded and described as follows: beginning at a stone bound at the northeast corner of the within described tract, adjoining land now or formerly of Thomas B. Waters and wife; thence westerly, at an interior angle of 93° 54', bounded northerly on land now or formerly of said Thomas B. Waters and wife, 115.28 feet to a stone bound; thence southwesterly, at an interior angle of 121° 44', bounding westerly on land of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company, 198.40 feet to a stone bound; thence south 8° 15' east at an interior angle of 143° 58½', bounding westerly on land now or formerly belonging to Hezekiah Allen, about 1,478.92 feet to the Pawtuxet River; thence easterly with said Pawtuxet River, about 266.45 feet to the land delineated upon said "Map of South Elmwood, Division No. 1"; thence northerly, bounding easterly on land delineated upon said "Map of South Elmwood, Division No. 1," 784.90 feet to a blue stone; thence northerly at an interior angle of 179° 4', bounded easterly on land delineated upon said "Map of South Elmwood, Division No. 1," 276.70 feet to a blue stone; thence northerly at an exterior angle of 177° 9½', bounded easterly on land delineated upon said map of South Elmwood, Division No. 1, 511 62-100 feet to the point of beginning; containing about 8 68-100 acres of land; together with all riparian rights in and to said Pawtuxet River appertaining to the same. Subject to a mortgage dated November 1, 1909, due November 1, 1910, made by Maxwell-Briscoe Motor Co. to Industrial Trust Company in the sum of $75,000, at the rate of 5%. NOTE: Except so much of the above described property as was conveyed by Maxwell-Briscoe Motor Company to the City of Cranston by deed dated May 17, 1912, for the purpose of constructing a highway in extension of Second Avenue and a strip twenty feet wide on Gardner Avenue.

VII. That certain lot, piece, or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements thereon, situated in the Town of Cranston, State of Rhode Island, lying east of and adjoining the land described in the foregoing Paragraph VI. and bounding westerly thereon, northerly on Fifth Avenue of the plat next herein referred to, easterly on Elmwood Avenue of said plat, and southerly on Pawtuxet River, and comprising 25 lots of land laid out and delineated on a plat entitled "Map of South Elmwood, Division No. 1," drawn by S. N. Keith, June, 1874, on record in said Town Clerk's office in Plat Book No. 3, on Page 7, and on Plat Card No. 3, together with the 2 strips of land or courts (now closed) shown on said last named plat as the parts or extensions of "Sixth Avenue" and "Seventh Avenue" crossing this tract; together with all right, title and interest in and to the streets or avenues on which said tract bounds and the land under the same, and under the Pawtuxet River, and all riparian rights connected with said tract. Subject to the same mortgage as set forth in the foregoing paragraph VI.

VIII. Those 20 lots of land with the buildings and improvements thereon situated in said Town of Cranston, State of Rhode Island, and laid out and delineated as lots Nos. 719 to 738, both inclusive, on that Plat entitled "Replat of South Auburn, Cranston, R. I."; on record in the office of said Town Clerk in said Town, in said Plat Book No. 5, at page 10 and (copy) on Plat Card No. 22, together with all right, title and interest in and to the adjoining south half of Seventh Avenue and the land under the same, and in and to the 20 foot strip extending from Seventh Avenue to Eighth Avenue next east of Lots Nos. 728 and 729 of said last mentioned Plat, and in and to all land lying between the southerly 10 lots of said 20 lots and the middle of the Pawtuxet River, together with all riparian rights appurtenant to or connected with any of the above described premises, subject to the restriction set forth in a deed from Benjamin K. Hotchkiss to the Atlantic Rubber Shoe Company, Deed Book 103, page 392; and subject also to the same mortgage as set forth in the foregoing paragraph VI.

IX. Any and all other property, real, personal and mixed, of whatsoever kind and wheresoever situated, owned or possessed by Maxwell-Briscoe Motor Company or by the Receivers of said Company, at the date of the transfer of possession under said decree by said Receivers, including any and all real estate, lands, leaseholds, buildings, plants, easements, appurtenances, machinery, equipment, automobiles and cars, whether finished or in process of manufacture, parts, materials, supplies, tools, office furniture, drawings, books, vouchers and other papers, patents, licenses, trademarks, trade names, good will, contracts, bills and accounts receivable, whether owing from United States Motor Company or from any of the companies any of the shares of the capital stock of which are owned or controlled by said United States Motor Company, or otherwise owing, cash on hand and in bank; and all other property whether or not herein specifically mentioned or referred to, owned or possessed by said Maxwell-Briscoe Motor Company or its Receivers at the said date of the transfer of possession under said decree.

All property disposed of by the undersigned, as Receivers of each of the above-named companies, in the ordinary course of business, prior to the date of the transfer of possession of the property sold, will be excepted from the property sold, and all property acquired by the undersigned as Receivers of each of the above-named companies prior to said date will be included in the property sold.

Said property will first be offered for sale in six parcels, as follows: Parcel No. 1. All of the property of United States Motor Company; Parcel No. 2. All of the property of Alden-Sampson Manufacturing Company; Parcel No. 3. All of the property of Brush Runabout Company; Parcel No. 4. All of the property of Columbia Motor Car Company; Parcel No. 5. All of the property of Dayton Motor Car Company; Parcel No. 6. All of the property of Maxwell-Briscoe Motor Company. Said parcel No. 1 will be first offered for sale and bids received therefor; then said parcel No. 2 will be offered for sale and bids received therefor; then said parcel No. 3 will be offered for sale and bids received therefor; then said parcel No. 4 will be offered for sale and bids received therefor; then said parcel No. 5 will be offered for sale and bids received therefor; and then said parcel No. 6 will be offered for sale and bids received therefor. Immediately after said parcels Nos. 1 to 6, inclusive, shall have been offered for sale and bids received therefor, all of the property constituting parcels Nos. 1 to 6, inclusive, will be offered for sale together as a single lot or parcel and bids received therefor. After all of the property constituting parcels Nos. 1 to 6, inclusive, shall have been offered for sale together as a single lot or parcel and bids received therefor, bids will be received for the shares of the capital stock of any of the companies the stock of which is included in parcel No. 1.

Except as hereinafter provided, no bid for any one of said parcels or for the entire property as a single lot or parcel will be received unless accompanied by cash or by a check drawn to the order of the Receivers and certified by a national bank or trust company doing business in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and having a capital, surplus and undivided profits aggregating at least two million dollars, in the following amounts, namely:

For parcel No. 1	$50,000
" " 2	50,000
" " 3	50,000
" " 4	50,000
" " 5	50,000
" " 6	50,000
For the entire property as a single lot or parcel	$250,000

Any bidder, however, depositing cash or a certified check as aforesaid in the amount of $250,000 will thereupon be qualified to bid for any one or more or all of the six parcels above mentioned, and for the shares of the capital stock of any of the companies the stock of which is included in Parcel No. 1, and also, without further deposit, to bid for all the property constituting parcels 1 to 6, inclusive, when offered together in one lot or parcel. Except as above provided, no bid for the shares of the capital stock of any of the companies the stock of which is included in parcel No. 1 will be received unless accompanied by cash or by a certified check of the character above provided in the amount of $50,000.

Deposits received from an unsuccessful bidder will be returned to such unsuccessful bidder by the Receivers upon the final rejection of his bid. Deposits received from the successful bidder or bidders will be applied on account of the purchase price of the property sold. If the Court shall not confirm the sale for which a deposit shall have been made, such deposit will be returned to the bidder. In case any bidder shall fail to make good his bid upon its acceptance by the Court and shall fail after such acceptance to comply with any order of the Court relating to the payment thereof on the completion of the purchase, then the sums deposited by such bidder will be kept and retained finally and absolutely by the Receivers as and for liquidated damages and not by way of penalty.

The undersigned will receive at their office, Broadway and Sixty-first Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City, County, and State of New York, sealed bids for the purchase of said property up to ten o'clock in the forenoon on said 8th day of January, 1913, which bids will be opened and announced by the undersigned in the presence of the Hon. CHARLES M. HOUGH, District Judge, in Room 47 of the Post-Office Building, in the Borough of Manhattan, City, County and State of New York at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of said day. The right is reserved to the Court to permit any bidder qualifying as above provided and presenting any bid to the undersigned Receivers within the period above limited to amend, modify or supplement his bid or to make a new bid prior to the acceptance of any bid by the Court. At the conclusion of the bids, all bids received by the undersigned Receivers will be reported by them to the Hon. CHARLES M. HOUGH, District Judge, for acceptance or rejection. The right is reserved to the Court to direct the acceptance or rejection of any or all bids received and to confirm and direct the consummation of any and all sales in accordance with the provisions of said decree and of any bid or bids so accepted.

The purchaser or purchasers of any of the property to be sold in accordance with the provisions of said decree shall, on confirmation of the sale by the Court, make such further payment or payments in cash or otherwise, on account of the purchase price, as the Court may from time to time direct. The right is reserved to the Court to sell or order the resale of any of the property to be sold upon such notice as the Court may direct in case the purchaser or purchasers thereof shall fail or omit to make any payment on account of the purchase price within twenty days after entry of an order requiring such payment, or within such other time as the Court may direct.

Upon the confirmation of such sale, or within twenty days thereafter, and upon payment of the purchase price by the purchaser or purchasers, his or their successors and assigns, or upon making such provision for the payment thereof as the Court may approve, the said purchaser or purchasers, his or their successors and assigns, will be entitled to receive from the undersigned Receivers and from the companies, parties defendant to said cause, a deed of conveyance and bill of sale of the property purchased, as in said decree provided, and to receive possession of the property so purchased as provided in said decree.

The purchaser or purchasers, his or their successors, assigns or nominees, will be allowed the period of sixty days from the date of delivery of possession to him or them by the receivers within which to elect whether or not to adopt or assume any lease, agreement or other contract which may be included in the property sold or which may constitute an incident or appurtenance thereof, and such purchaser or purchasers, his or their successors, assigns or nominees, will not be held to have accepted or assumed any such lease, agreement or other contract which he, it or they shall not so elect to accept or assume. Such election shall be made by an instrument in writing subscribed by the purchaser or purchasers, his or their successors, assigns or nominees, and filed in the office of the clerk of this Court, and no conduct or use of rights by any purchaser or purchasers, his or their successors, assigns or nominees, within said period of sixty days, unaccompanied by the filing of such written instrument, shall be deemed to conclude such purchaser or purchasers, his or their successors, assigns or nominees, in respect of such election.

For a more detailed statement of the terms and conditions under which said sale will be made, reference is hereby made to the said decree, the original of which is on file in the office of the Clerk of the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York, and copies of which may be obtained from the undersigned Receivers, upon application to them at their office, Broadway and Sixty-first Street, New York City.

Dated New York, November 30, 1912.

W. E. S. STRONG,
ROBERTS WALKER,
Receivers and Ancillary Receivers,
United States Motor Company.

W. E. S. STRONG,
ROBERTS WALKER,
Receivers and Ancillary Receivers,
Alden-Sampson Manufacturing Company.

W. E. S. STRONG,
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Receivers and Ancillary Receivers,
Brush Runabout Company.

W. E. S. STRONG,
ROBERTS WALKER,
Receivers and Ancillary Receivers,
Columbia Motor Car Company.

W. E. S. STRONG,
ROBERTS WALKER,
Receivers and Ancillary Receivers,
Dayton Motor Car Company.

W. E. S. STRONG,
ROBERTS WALKER,
FRANK E. SMITH,
Receivers and Ancillary Receivers,
Maxwell-Briscoe Motor Company.

ROSENBERG & LEVIS, Solicitors for Complainant, 170 Broadway, New York City.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, SOUTHern District of New York.—Citation:

Whereas a petition was filed in the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of New York on the 4th day of October, 1912, by the Oceanic Steam Navigation Company, Limited, praying for a limitation of its liability as owner of the steamship TITANIC concerning the loss, damage, injury, and destruction occasioned by the steamship Titanic colliding with an iceberg on April 14th, 1912, and the subsequent sinking of said steamship for the reasons mentioned in said petition; and

Whereas the petitioner filed with the clerk of this court on October 4th, 1912, an ad interim stipulation in the sum of $96,000.00, duly approved, undertaking to pay into court within ten days after the entry of an order confirming the report of the Commissioner to be appointed to appraise the amount or value of the petitioner's interest in the said steamship Titanic, and her pending freigh, the amount or value of such interest as thus ascertained, or to file in this proceeding a bond or stipulation for value in the usual form, with surety in said amount,

Now, therefore, pursuant to the monition issued out of said court, to me directed and delivered, I do hereby cite all persons claiming damages for any and all losses, damages, or injuries caused by or resulting from the collision of the steamship Titanic with an iceberg on April 14th, 1912, and the consequent sinking of said steamship on April 15th, 1912, to appear and make due proof of their respective claims before Alex. Gilchrist, Jr., Esq., United States Commissioner, at his office in the Post Office Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on or beore January 14th, 1913, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, and also to appear before said court at the courtrooms in said building on the 14th day of January, 1913, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day and answer the petition herein; otherwise they will be defaulted and barred from participation in said stipulation.

Dated New York, October 4th, 1912.

WILLIAM HENKEL,
United States Marshal for the Southern District of New York.

BURLINGHAM, MONTGOMERY & BEECHER, Proctors for Petitioner.

Notice is hereby given that The General Vehicle Company, Incorporated, a domestic corporation, having its principal business office in the Town of Rotterdam, County of Schenectady and State of New York, will apply to the Supreme Court of the State of New York at a special term thereof to be held at the Court House in the City of Schenectady, County of Schenectady, on the 27th day of January, 1913, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for an order authorizing the said corporation to change its corporate name from The General Vehicle Company, Incorporated, to General Vehicle Company, Incorporated, thereby eliminating the word "The" from the corporate name.

THE GENERAL VEHICLE COMPANY,
INCORPORATED.
P. D. WAGONER, President.

Dated Schenectady, N. Y., December 9th, 1912.

SURROGATE NOTICES.

MARY E. GAUTIER.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. ROBERT LUDLOW FOWLER, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against MARY E. GAUTIER, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at his place of transacting business at the office of Deyo & Bauerdorf, No. 111 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the fifth day of June, 1913.—Dated New York, the 22nd day of November, 1912.

CHARLES E. GAUTIER, Administrator.

DEYO & BAUERDORF, Attorneys for Administrator, 111 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

SAMMET, JOEL.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against JOEL SAMMET, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscribers, at their place of transacting business, at the office of Cowing, White & Wait, No. 49 Wall Street, in the City of New York, on or before the 25th day of May next.—Dated New York, the 15th day of November, 1912. RAY SAMMET, HARRY SAMMET, BESSIE LEWENTHAL, Executors. COWING, WHITE & WAIT, Attorneys for Executors, 49 Wall Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

HOBSON, GEORGE G.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York.

Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against GEORGE G. HOBSON, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at his place of transacting business, at the office of Douglas B. Green, his attorney, No. 100 William Street, in the City of New York, on or before the 24th day of March, 1913, next.

Dated, New York, the 12th day of September, 1912.

JOHN E. SEMMES, JR.,
Administrator, C. T. A. D. B. N.

DOUGLAS B. GREEN, Attorney for Administrator, 100 William Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

VAN RIPER, FANNY V.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Fanny V. Van Riper, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscribers at their place of transacting business, at the office of Philip J. Britt, No. 27 William Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on or before the 15th day of April, 1913.

Dated New York, the 7th day of October, 1912.

WILLIAM D. VAN VLECK,
JOSEPH VAN VLECK, Jr.,
Executors.

PHILIP J. BRITT, Attorney for Executors, No. 27 William Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 29.—Pressure is high off the Atlantic Coast and over the Far Southwest, and it is abnormally low in the Upper Mississippi Valley and the Northwest States. This pressure distribution has resulted in local rains in the Gulf States, the Middle Mississippi and Lower Ohio Valleys and the North Pacific States, and a general though slight increase in temperature throughout the Eastern and Southern States and on the Pacific Slope.

Temperatures are above the seasonal average in practically all parts of the country. There will be rain Monday and cloudy weather Tuesday throughout the Atlantic and East Gulf States, the Upper Ohio Valley, and lower lake region, and snow and rain Monday and probably Tuesday in the Rocky Mountain and the plateau regions. In the north plains States, the Upper Mississippi Valley, and the upper lake region generally fair weather Monday will be followed by increasing cloudiness and snows Monday night or Tuesday. In the West Gulf States and the Lower Mississippi Valley the weather will be generally fair Monday and Tuesday.

Moderate temperatures will continue Monday and Tuesday except in the Northwest States, where considerably colder weather will appear Monday night or Tuesday.

The winds along the New England and Middle Atlantic Coast will be moderate south; South Atlantic Coast, moderate east and southeast; East Gulf Coast, moderate east and southeast, except variable over northwestern portion; West Gulf Coast, light west; Lake Michigan, moderate southwest and west.

Steamers departing Monday for European ports will have moderate south and southwest winds and overcast and rainy weather to the Grand Banks.

Weather conditions and general forecast:

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY AND TO-MORROW.

Eastern New York, Eastern Pennsylvania, New Jersey—Rain Monday; Tuesday cloudy, moderate temperature; light to moderate south winds.

New England—Rain Monday; Tuesday cloudy; moderate temperature; moderate south winds.

Western Pennsylvania and Western New York—Rain Monday; Tuesday cloudy; moderate south winds.

The temperature record for the twenty-four hours ended at midnight, taken from the thermometer at the local office of the United States Weather Bureau, is as follows:

	1911.	1912.		1911.	1912.
3 A. M.	23	29	4 P. M.	34	42
6 A. M.	24	30	6 P. M.	32	42
9 A. M.	26	30	9 P. M.	31	42
12 M.	32	38	11 P. M.	28	41

This thermometer is 414 feet above the street level. The average temperature yesterday was 35; for the corresponding date last year it was 30; average on the corresponding date for the last thirty-three years, 32.

The temperature at 8 A. M. yesterday was 30; at 8 P. M. it was 42. Maximum temperature 42 degrees at 8 P. M.; minimum, 28 degrees at 5 A. M. Humidity 65 per cent. at 8 A. M.; 58 per cent. at 8 P. M.

The barometer at 8 A. M. yesterday registered 30.24 inches; at 8 P. M. it stood at 30.15 inches.

YESTERDAY'S FIRES.

A. M.	Loss.
12:35—33 E. 169th St.; Hirsch Bros.	$100
2:00—14th St. and East River; John Rose.	Trifling
10:25—236 8th Av.; Charles Abbott	$500
10:55—1,101 3d Av.; Jeanette Crookez	$50
11:35—85 Spring St.; M. Greenbaum	Trifling
P. M.	
1:45—237 E. 56th St.; Michael Murphy	$10
2:00—36½ Scammel St.; F. Thren	Trifling
2:30—530 W. 174th St.; S. Grasl	Trifling
2:30—157 Rivington St.; S. Anerbach	Trifling
3:10—684 E. 136th St.; A. Hamstrom	Trifling
3:30—1,326 Southern Boulevard; Anna Mansbarn	Trifling
4:20—1,321 Cypress Av.; Jacob Doll & Son,	Trifling
4:20—204 William St.; Alexander Raitlinger,	$1,000
6:00—323 E. 17th St.; Wilfred Kearns	$50
6:30—510 E. 163d St.; unknown	Trifling
6:50—2,114 Lafontaine Av.; E. Pear	Trifling
7:15—34 W. 114th St.; B. Fehlar	Trifling
7:40—339 W. 59th St.; Clarke	$200
7:55—708 Tremont Av.; Rosenberg Bros.	$100
8:00—239 E. 120th St.; N. Sandler	$200
11:15—1,522 Madison Av.; Barnett Ryeck	$10

Public Notices

WANTED—Present address of MINNIE I. THOMPSON, formerly of Brooklyn, N. Y. Address Box 123 Times.

Lost

LOST—Dec. 25, between 1:30 and 2 P. M., either Penn. Station or 7th Av. uptown car, lady's black velvet bag, gray silk lining, containing rings, watch, gentleman's gloves, Subway tickets, purse with small change; suitable reward to finder. Notify A. S. Chatfield, 1 Broadway, New York. Phone Rector—4065.

LOST—On Sunday evening, small black velvet bag lined with green, containing money only, on Broadway, between 88th and 94th Sts. Reward. Return to office Bretton Hall, Broadway and 86th St.

LOST.—On Subway, chamois purse, containing diamond pin and twenty-five-cent piece; valued for its remembrances; reward, if returned to Miss M. Mostacher, 723 East 160th St., Bronx.

LOST.—Pearl horseshoe, Thursday evening, 40th St. entrance Metropolitan Opera House; reward. Return to P. H. Mattlage, 58 Central Park West.

LOST.—Pass Book No. 19,851 of the Security Bank of New York, 953 3d Av., New York City; payment stopped. Please return book to bank.

LOST.—On Amsterdam Av. car, 125th St., pocketbook, containing two important citizen papers; reward. 171 Broadway, Room 53.

LOST—Saturday, gold earring, old Spanish, with medallion figure of girl painted; reward given; return to Studio 1, 119 East 19th.

LOST.—Lavalliere, Saturday evening; three emeralds, pearls, 43d St. to Hippodrome. T 112 Times.

$25.00 REWARD FOR RING containing black opal with three small green stones on each side; lost Dec. 27, between 5th Av., 44th St. and Madison Av., 56th St. Tiffany & Co., Fifth Avenue, 37th Street.

$25 REWARD.—Lost on evening of Dec. 17, either at Shanley's, 43d St. and Broadway, or Lyric Theatre, pearl pin surrounded by diamonds. Apply 40 West 57th St.

FIFTY ($50.00) DOLLARS REWARD for diamond crown brooch, lost Dec. 22. Tiffany & Co., Fifth Avenue, 37th Street.

Lost and Found, Cats, Dogs

Lost—Brindle Boston bull terrier; white breast; between eyes; white diamond top of head; green collar; answers Rob; liberal reward. 40 West 74th St.

LOST—Irish terrier; answers to name of "Jack"; reward. 6 East 77th St.

UNWANTED DOGS AND CATS should be taken to the A. S. P. C. A. Shelter for Animals, Ave. A and 24th St., or to the receiving station at 37 East 135th St. Owners of lost dogs and cats and responsible persons wishing to secure pets should apply at the Shelter.

Business Opportunities

Wish to find a partner, interest in the building business, for new patent reinforce concrete floors. Write or call. William F. Cooper, 251 East 105th St.

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A MILLINERY DEPARTMENT TO LET IN A HIGH-CLASS SPECIALTY SHOP IN SYRACUSE, N. Y., ON COMMISSION BASIS. APPLY SAMUEL FLOERSHEIMER & BRO., 31 WEST 27TH ST.

Exceptional opportunity to purchase a small manufacturing plant; 20 machines; suitable for manufacturer ladies' neckwear, aprons, or baby caps. Address Opportunity, 199 Times Downtown.

Electric Construction Company with orders in excess of its capital, desires capital and live man; bank and high indorsements; established 10 years; no agents. Y 67 Times.

SALESMAN.—Manufacturer cloaks, commanding biggest, best trade, wants partner, backer; interest reliable concern; big results guaranteed. "E. M.," 263 West 125th St.

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Young man, business experience and canvasser, wishes position where he can prove his ability; partnership considered, manufacturing. Victor, 63 Lee Av.

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Partner wanted, jeweled combs manufacturing concern; half interest, $2,500. Brooklyn Novelty, 1,104 Broadway, Brooklyn.

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Investor with position treasurer offered half interest; excellent business; fine opportunity. N 132 Times.

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Rent it—with a Times Want Advertisement.

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11TH ST., 29 EAST.—Desirable rooms; running water; excellent table; references; telephone.

15TH ST., 210 EAST, (Stuyvesant Park.)—Large rooms, private bath, well heated; excellent board; telephone.

47TH ST., 130 EAST.—Newly furnished rooms; heated; running water; excellent board; phone; moderate.

80TH ST., 40 EAST.—Corner floor, two rooms, bath; elevator, steam heat; excellent board.

A.—A.—53D ST., 37 EAST.—Rooms with board; table board; references.

IRVING PLACE, 71.—Large, small rooms; private baths; board; references. Telephone Gramercy 1978.

West Side.

16TH, 20-22, 33 WEST.—Large and small rooms; well heated; unexcelled board; telephone.

39TH ST., 49 WEST.—Heart shopping district; convenience theatres; high-class home cooking; table board.

44TH ST., 260 WEST, (Alliance Hotel.)—"Quiet place for quiet people." Single rooms, including board, $10 per week; use of bath; suites consisting of parlor, sleeping apartments, private bathrooms, $30 up per week, including board for two; other double rooms; steam heat throughout; elevator service. 'Phone 6068 Bryant.

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49TH ST., 68 WEST.—Established 24 years; rooms and suites; private baths, telephone; superior table.

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Large room, first-class; references.

57TH ST., 351 WEST.—First-class furnished large and small rooms; good board; Subway; telephone.

68TH ST., 72 WEST.—Comfortable rooms; ample table. A call may be to your advantage.

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Furnished rooms; phone; Sub.; board optional

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72D, 159 WEST.—Attractive rooms, suite or separate; board; parlor floor dining room; references.

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76TH ST., 127-129 WEST.—Second floor front; running water; excellent table; parlor dining; reasonable.

79TH ST., 114 AND 132 WEST.—Norece Hall and The Bonheur.—Under one management; select residential hotels; new throughout; steam heat; exceptional rooms and suites; large parlors, reception rooms, lounge and tea room; ideal in all appointments; Southern cooking; white maid service; rates reasonable. Write for booklet. 'Phone 7140 Schuyler.

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Furnished Rooms

East Side.

11TH ST., 78 EAST, Adjoining 5th Av.—Comfortable, heated rooms; running water, next baths; closets.

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45TH ST., 25 EAST.—Rooms with and without bath; gentlemen; references.

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60TH ST., 134 EAST.—Single and double rooms; shower bath.

62D ST., 24 EAST.—Furnished large room, with private bath, electric light, steam heat, elevator service; $20 per week.

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IRVING PLACE, 14.—Front rooms; box spring beds; tiled bathrooms; absolute cleanliness. Wolcott Building.

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West Side.

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Furnished Rooms

West Side.

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53D ST., 62 WEST.—One large room with private bath. Second floor front.

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58TH ST., 344 WEST.—Under new management; large and small, nicely furnished, warm rooms; hot and cold water; large, handsomely appointed front parlor; hot and cold water; two baths; telephone; half block cars; Subway; select home for refined people; references.

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71ST, 351 WEST.—Bachelor apartments; private bath; single rooms; $4 up. Telephone Columbus 806.

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111TH ST., 203 WEST.—Furnished room in high-class apartment; electric light; all improvements.

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116TH, Near Riverside and Subway.—Large front room; gentlemen. Phone 3596 Morningside. Apt. 24.

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SURROGATE NOTICES.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF HON. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York.

Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against GEORGE H. SCHUMANN, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at his place of transacting business, No. 716 Fifth Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 16th day of June next.

Dated New York, the 4th day of Dec., 1912.
CHARLES W. SCHUMANN, Executor.
LAWRENCE & LAWRENCE, Attorneys for Executor, 60 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

LOUTREL, ANNA L.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Anna L. Loutrel, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscribers at their place of transacting business, at the office of Simpson & Cardozo, No. 111 Broadway, Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 1st day of April next.
Dated New York, the 20th day of September, 1912. ELIZA HART, Administratrix.
MAX JUST, Administrator.
SIMPSON & CARDOZO, Attorneys for Administrators, 111 Broadway, (Manhattan,) New York City.

SELIGMAN, ALFRED L.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against ALFRED L. SELIGMAN, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscribers, at their place of transacting business, No. 3 South William Street, in the City of New York, on or before the 25th day of March, 1913. Dated New York, the 10th day of September, 1912. GEORGE W. SELIGMAN, ISAAC N. SELIGMAN, EDWIN R. A. SELIGMAN, HENRY WALTER, Executors. SELIGMAN & SELIGMAN, Attorneys for Executors, 3 South William Street, New York City.

RUBEL, ALEXANDER.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against ALEXANDER RUBEL, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers at their place of transacting business at the office of Murray, Prentice & Howland, No. 37 Wall Street, in the City of New York, on or before the 1st day of March next.
Dated New York, the 24th day of August, 1912.
ALBERT ROTHBARTH,
THOMAS F. VIETOR,
Executors.
MURRAY, PRENTICE & HOWLAND, Attorneys for Executors, 37 Wall Street.

Bankruptcy Notices

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, SOUTHern District of New York.—In the matter of MARTHA J. BUGBEE, Alleged Bankrupt.

To the creditors of Martha J. Bugbee:

Notice is hereby given that the above-named alleged bankrupt has filed her petition, verified the 27th day of December, 1912, setting forth among other things that she has offered terms of composition, which terms have been accepted in writing by a majority in number of all creditors whose claims have been allowed, and which number represents the majority in amount of such claims; that the consideration to be paid by the alleged bankrupt to her creditors and the money necessary to pay all debts which have priority and the cost of the proceedings have been duly deposited in a duly designated depository, and asking that the said composition may be confirmed by the Court.

Notice is hereby further given that all creditors and other persons are ordered to attend at the hearing upon said petition before the Honorable Judges of the U. S. District Court at the U. S. District Court House and Post Office Building, in the City and County of New York, on Monday, January 6th, 1913, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., and then and there show cause, if any they should have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted, and also to attend the examination of the alleged bankrupt thereon.

Dated New York, November 8, 1912.
WILLIAM H. WILLIS,
Referee in Bankruptcy, 82 Beaver Street, New York City.

NO. 17,179.—IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF the United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of LOUIS HALPERT, Bankrupt.

To the creditors of Louis Halpert of the City and County of New York and district aforesaid, a bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 8th day of November, A. D. 1912, the said Louis Halpert was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of creditors will be held at the office of John J. Townsend, referee in bankruptcy, No. 45 Cedar Street, City and County of New York, on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1913, at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.
JOHN J. TOWNSEND,
December 27, 1912. Referee in Bankruptcy.

NO. 17,202.—IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF the United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of CARL E. DAVIDSON, Bankrupt.

To the creditors of Carl E. Davidson, of the City and County of New York and district aforesaid, a bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 7th day of November, A. D. 1912, the said Carl E. Davidson was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of creditors will be held at the office of Nathaniel A. Prentiss, referee in bankruptcy, No. 2 Rector Street, City and County of New York, on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1913, at 12:30 o'clock in the afternoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.
NATHANIEL A. PRENTISS,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
December 27, 1912.

NO. 17,309.—IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF the United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of L. ZODIKOW, INC., Bankrupt.

To the creditors of L. Zodikow, Inc., of the City and County of New York and district aforesaid, a bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 26th day of November, A. D. 1912, the said L. Zodikow, Inc., was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of creditors will be held at the office of Peter B. Olney, Esq., Referee in Bankruptcy, No. 68 William Street, City and County of New York, on the 9th day of January, A. D. 1913, at 11:30 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.
PETER B. OLNEY,
Dec. 28th, 1912. Referee in Bankruptcy.

NO. 17,542.—IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF the United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of LAMBROSE PODARA, Bankrupt.

To the creditors of Lambrose Podara of the City and County of New York and district aforesaid, a bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 24th day of December, A. D. 1912, the said Lambrose Podara was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of creditors will be held at the office of Peter B. Olney, Esq., Referee in Bankruptcy, No. 68 William Street, City and County of New York, on the 9th day of January, A. D. 1913, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.
PETER B. OLNEY,
Dec. 28, 1912. Referee in Bankruptcy.

NO. 17,223.—IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF the United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of HENRY SPIES CIGAR COMPANY, Bankrupt.

To the creditors of Henry Spies Cigar Company of the City and County of New York and district aforesaid, a bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 6th day of November, A. D. 1912, the said Henry Spies Cigar Company was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of creditors will be held at the office of John J. Townsend, referee in bankruptcy, No. 45 Cedar Street, City and County of New York, on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1913, at 12 o'clock noon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.
JOHN J. TOWNSEND,
Dec. 27, 1912. Referee in Bankruptcy.

SURROGATE NOTICES.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF HON. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against George Montgomery Tuttle, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers at their place of transacting business, at the office of Lucius H. Beers, No. 49 Wall Street, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 11th day of June next. Dated, New York, the 3rd day of December, 1912.
FRANKLIN B. KIRKBRIDE,
HOWARD MANSFIELD,
Executors.
LUCIUS H. BEERS, Attorney for Executors, 49 Wall Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

GUEUTAL, ADELE.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against ADELE GUEUTAL, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at his place of transacting business, No. 648 Broadway, Manhattan Borough, in the City of New York, on or before the 29th day of March next.—Dated New York, the 22d day of August, 1912. FREDERICK S. MYERS, Executor. HAMILTON R. SQUIER, Attorney for Executor, 206 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

RUBENSTEIN, JOSEPH.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Joseph Rubenstein, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber at her place of transacting business, No. 84 Bowery, in The City of New York, on or before the 4th day of March next.
Dated, New York, the 26th day of August, 1912. BETSEY RUBENSTEIN,
Administratrix.
JULIUS LEVY, Attorney for Administratrix, 309 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

CLARK, MARIAN DE FOREST.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. John P. Cohalan, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against MARIAN DE FOREST CLARK, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscribers at their place of transacting business, at the office of Root, Clark & Bird, No. 31 Nassau Street, in the City of New York, on or before the 1st day of June next.—Dated New York, the 22d day of November, 1912. LOUIS C. CLARK, LOUIS C. CLARK, Jr., GRENVILLE CLARK, Executors. ROOT, CLARK & BIRD, Attorneys for Executors, 31 Nassau Street, New York City.

CAMPBELL, BERNARD.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against BERNARD CAMPBELL, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscribers at their place of transacting business, Room 809, No. 261 Broadway, Manhattan Borough, in the City of New York, on or before the 31st day of May next.
Dated New York, the 13th day of November, 1912. EUGENE F. McGIRR,
MICHAEL SHEA,
Executors.
ARROWSMITH & DUNN, Attorneys for Executors, No. 261 Broadway, Manhattan, New York City.

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Bankruptcy Sales

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of MARIA F. CAPONIGRI, Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells this day, Monday, Dec. 30th, 1912, by order of the court, at 10:30 A. M., at 113 Leonard Street, Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of Trustee's right, title and interest in and to premises known as No. 213 21st Street, Brooklyn, New York; bounded and described as follows: "All that certain lot, piece, or parcel of land, situate, lying, and being in the City of Brooklyn, County of Kings, and State of New York, bounded and described as follows, to wit:

BEGINNING at a point on the northerly line of Twenty-first Street, distant four hundred and twenty-five (425) feet easterly from the easterly line of Fourth Avenue; and running thence northerly, parallel with Fourth Avenue, one hundred (100) feet; thence easterly, parallel with Twenty-first Street, twenty-five (25) feet; thence running southerly, parallel with Fourth Avenue, one hundred (100) feet to Twenty-first Street; and thence westerly, along the northerly line of Twenty-first Street, twenty-five (25) feet to the place of BEGINNING."

Premises known as No. 211 21st Street, Brooklyn, New York; bounded and described as follows, to wit: "All that certain lot, piece, or parcel of land, situate, lying, and being in the City of Brooklyn, County of Kings, and State of New York, bounded and described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point on the northeasterly side of Twenty-first Street, distant Four Hundred feet southeasterly from the northeasterly corner of Fourth Avenue and Twenty-first Street; thence running northeasterly on a line at right angles to Twenty-first Street one hundred feet; thence running southeasterly on a line parallel to Twenty-first Street twenty-five feet; thence running southwesterly on a line at right angles to Twenty-first Street one hundred feet to Twenty-first Street; thence running northwesterly along the northeasterly side of Twenty-first Street aforesaid twenty-five feet to the place of beginning." Being the lot known by the No. "390" on a "Map" of property in the Eighth Ward of the City of Brooklyn, lately belonging to "Henry Story." And said petition having come on for a hearing before me on the 10th day of November, 1912, of which ten days' notice was given by mail to the creditors of the said bankrupt,

NOW, after due hearing, and due deliberation having been had, it is

ORDERED, that the said Trustee forthwith sell at auction his right, title, and interest in the bankrupt's real estate, specified in said petition and above described, at auction, keeping an accurate account of each lot or parcel sold and the price therefor and to whom sold; which said account he shall file at once with the Referee.

Dated New York City, December 11, 1912.

Further information in reference to the incumbrances and conditions of the property may be obtained from Ferdinand E. M. Bullowa, Attorney for Trustee, upon application at any time before date of sale.
MACGRANE COXE,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, SOUTHern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of MACY BROTHERS, Bankrupts.—No. 16,902.

To the creditors of the above-named bankrupts:

Notice is hereby given that personal property belonging to the estate of the above-named bankrupts will be sold under the direction of Richard O. Smith, the Trustee herein, at public auction under the rules and practice of this court, by Adrian H. Muller & Sons, Auctioneers, at the Exchange Salesrooms, Nos. 14-16 Vesey Street, in the City of New York, on the 8th day of January, 1913, at 12:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

The property to be sold is as follows:

1350	shares Tramp Cons. Mining Co.
5	shares Nevada Smelting & Mines Corp.
10	shares Mays Oil Co.
2	shares The Buffalo Mines Ltd.
2000	shares Furnace Creek Copper Co.
20	shares Anti Electrolytic Co.
6	shares North Woods Co.
25	shares King Edward Silver Mines
5500	shares Bullfrog Indian Spring Min. Co.
100	shares Mines Securities Corporation.
1000	shares Montezuma Mines of Costa Rica.
30	shares Standard Plunger Elevator Co.

The Trustee reserves the right to withdraw any of said property from sale unless it shall bring at least 75 per centum of its appraised value.

New York, December 27, 1912.
JOHN J. TOWNSEND.
Referee in Bankruptcy, 45 Cedar Street, New York City.
CLIFFORD G. LUDVIGH, Esq., Attorney for the Trustee, 31 Nassau Street, N. Y. City.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of ATLANTIC BEEF CO., Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells this day, Monday, Dec. 30th, 1912, by order of the court, at 10:30 A. M., at 287 Eighth Av., and immediately thereafter at 588 Hudson St., Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of fixtures used in an up-to-date butcher shop, such as counters, racks, safe, scales, blocks, icebox, cash registers, meat cutting machines, &c. Also one five-passenger three-wheeled automobile, and one three-spring light delivery wagon, 1 truck horse, and 1 truck. FREDERICK S. EDICK, Receiver.
JOSEPH STEINBERG, Attorney for Receiver, 320 Broadway, New York.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of THE HOUSE OF KRIEG, Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells this day, Monday, Dec. 30th, 1912, by order of the court, at 10:30 A. M., at 110 Reade St., Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of leather findings, shoe laces, rubber heels, office furnishings, safes, adding machines, typewriter, tables, showcases; also the interest of the receiver in the good-will of the business, &c.
ALFRED C. COXE, Jr., Receiver.
ARCHIBALD PALMER, Attorney for Receiver, 320 Broadway, New York.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of THE CENTURY SALES COMPANY, INC., Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells this day, Monday, Dec. 30th, 1912, by order of the court, at 11:30 A. M., at 41 Lafayette St., Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of a completely equiped plant for the manufacture and sale of toilet preparations, including powders, creams, tonics, &c., a stock of manufactured toilet preparations and raw materials used in the preparation thereof, machinery, fixtures, and furniture, trademarks, trade names, formulas, and the good-will of said business.
CHARLES J. BRECK, Trustee.
MARSHALL S. HAGAR, Attorney for Trustee, 34 Pine Street, New York.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of BARNETT STUPPEL and ABRAHAM DREYFUS, trading as STUPPEL, DREYFUS & CO., alleged bankrupts.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells this day, Monday, Dec. 30th, 1912, by order of the court at 10:30 A. M., at 113 Leonard St., Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of ladies' suits, ladies' coats, woolen goods, sewing machines with power tables, electric motor, gas irons and heaters, cutting tables, &c.
LEE J. PERRIN, Receiver.
WALBRIDGE S. TAFT, Attorney for Receiver, 60 Wall St., New York.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of CHARLES C. KING, Bankrupt.—Charles Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in Bankruptcy, sells this day, Monday, Dec. 30th, 1912, by order of the court, at 10:30 A. M., at 113 Leonard Street, Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of woolens, piece goods, &c. JOHN L. LYTTLE, Trustee.
WILLIAM F. CARELL, Attorney for Trustee, 64 William St., New York City.
STANLEY W. DEXTER, Referee in Bankruptcy, 71 Broadway, New York City.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES, Southern District of New York.—In the matter of MORRIS GREENBERG, Bankrupt.—In bankruptcy.—No. 16,561.

Notice is hereby given that personal property belonging to the bankrupt, consisting of shoe polish, oils, brushes, desk, showcases, and fixtures, will be sold at public auction by Charles Shongood, United States Auctioneer, at his place of business, No. 113 Leonard Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 30th day of December, 1912, at 10:30 A. M.

Dated New York, December 13th, 1912.
EARL H. LEAVITT, Receiver.
CHARLES L. GREENHALL, Attorney for Receiver, 320 Broadway, New York City.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of CONHAIM & CO., Bankrupt.

Charles Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in Bankruptcy, sells this day (Monday,) Dec. 30, 1912, by order of the Court, at 10:30 A. M., at 113 Leonard St., Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of coats, suits, desk, counters, fixtures, &c.
FRANK J. WALDEYER, Receiver.
EDWARD B. LEVY, Attorney for Receiver, 346 Broadway, New York.

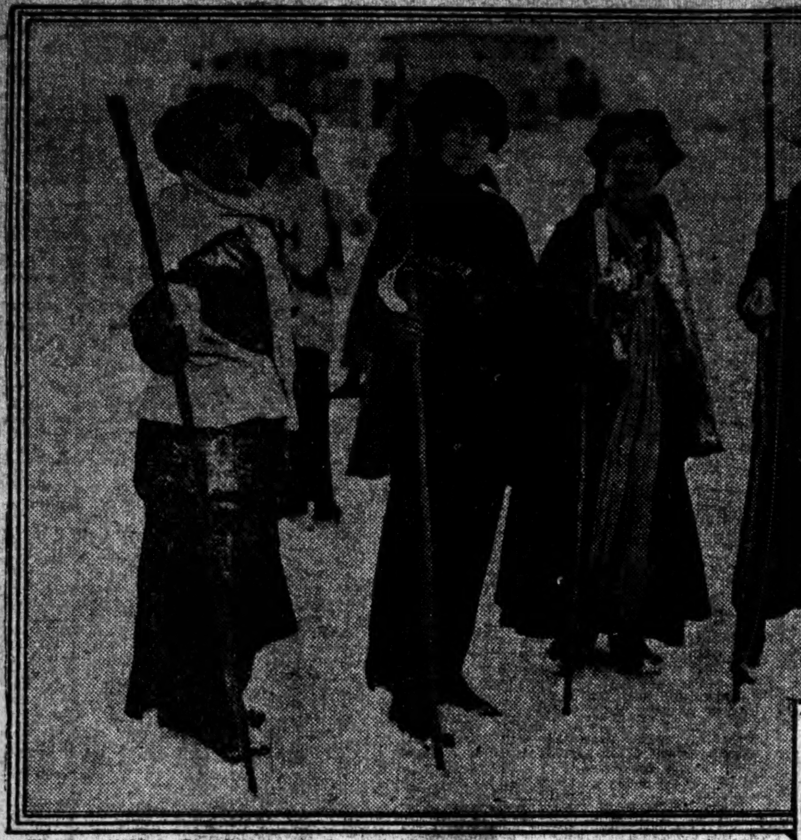
Bankruptcy Notices

NO. 17,410.—IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF the United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of HERMAN KATZ, trading as HERMAN KATZ & CO., Bankrupt.

To the creditors of Herman Katz, trading as Herman Katz & Co., of the City and County of New York and district aforesaid, a bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 30th day of November, A. D. 1912, the said Herman Katz, trading as Herman Katz & Co., was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of creditors will be held at the office of Macgrane Coxe, Referee in Bankruptcy, Room No. 1,375 Hudson Terminal Bldgs., No. 50 Church Street, City and County of New York, on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1913, at 12 o'clock noon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.
MACGRANE COXE,
Dec. 28th, 1912. Referee in Bankruptcy.

Suffrage Pilgrims at the End of Their March.



THE HIKERS ENTERING ALBANY: GEN. ROSALIE JONES ON THE RIGHT
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COL. IDA CRAFT, BREAKING THE TRAIL

SUFFRAGIST SCOUTS OUT TO SIGHT SULZER

Governor-Elect to be Followed and Watched Until He Receives Army.

SCIENTISTS WELCOME HIKER

One Marcher Stirs Sunday Service by Crediting Cult for Absence of Blisters.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 29.—The precious message from the suffragists of New York City which Gen. Rosalie Jones and her army brought here on foot will be delivered to the Governor-elect to-morrow, according to present plans. This, of course, if it is possible to get an audience with Sulzer, for he has not been advised of the plans. It is to be hoped they will not prove embarrassing, for the present idea is to keep the Governor-elect under surveillance until he signifies when and where he will receive the army.

Gen. Jones announced her plan for the delivery of the message at a tea given to the party this afternoon by Helen Hoy Greely of New York, and her sister, Miss Elizabeth Raeburn Hoy. Governor-elect Sulzer is expected to arrive here late in the afternoon. The army plans to hold a number of open air meetings in the morning. Later they will meet at the Hampton Hotel. Two pilgrims will be dispatched to wait at the railroad station and follow without speaking and at a respectful distance behind Sulzer until he is either in the Ten Eyck Hotel or at the Willett Avenue home of Lieut. Governor-elect Martin H. Glynn. The watchers will notify the General, who, wearing her knapsack and with staff in hand, will be waiting at the Hampton.

The General's aid, Gladys Coursen, accompanied by two pilgrims, will start to see the Governor-elect. Two will remain on guard at the door of his stopping place while Miss Coursen arranges an interview.

The guard at the door will be relieved every two hours, and Sulzer will be under the eye of the suffragists until the message is presented.

The army rested to-day. Gen. Jones confessed that she slept until noon. She is the guest of Mrs. Joseph Gavit.

The Right Rev. William Croswell Doane of All Saints' Cathedral, Bishop of Albany, is a very fervent anti, and in an interview to-day he expressed emphatically his opinion of the hikers.

"I have no faith in the cause of the suffragists," he said. "The women themselves are not as ill behaved as their sisters in England, but they are directed by the same impulse. The demonstration will not help their cause any."

"Well," said Gen. Jones, when she heard what the Bishop had said, "I am a good Episcopalian, but I think the good Bishop is misguided. His own daughter, Margaret Doane Gardner, is a famous anti, and if we are making a display of ourselves she is doing the same thing by making speeches against the cause."

Miss Sibyl Wilbur, one of the hikers, and the only Christian Scientist of the party, was given a great reception in the morning in the First Church of Christ, Scientist. Miss Wilbur said that it was because of her faith she had come through the hike so well.

"I had no blisters at any time," she said.

Col. Ida Craft of Brooklyn was anxious to speak in the Calvary Baptist Church. Permission was refused on the ground that it was "not wanted to open any such question in the church."

With the delivery of the message to Mr. Sulzer, the General will officially disband her army. The General will attend the inaugural ball with her cousin, James Duane Livingston of Troy. There was another hint of strained relations in the army when she announced that she would go to the ball not as Gen. Rosalie Jones, but as Miss Jones.

FASHION DESIGNS NOT HARD TO MAKE

To Enter the American Designs Contest One Need Not Be a Skillful Artist.

DESCRIBE THE IDEA FULLY

Then One May Safely Leave the Experienced Judges to Perceive Its Qualities.

THE TIMES receives daily inquiries from many persons who wish special instructions, about the form of designs to be submitted in the American Fashion Contest, which will close Jan. 10. Most of these writers evidently have not read carefully the published conditions governing the contest, and, for their benefit, we reproduce the following section:

Competitors for the prizes must submit colored drawings of their designs, each with not more than a hundred words of description on the back of each design. This descriptive matter should specify materials and shades, but small samples of both materials and shades may be pinned to the design if desired. Any drawing will be accepted in the competition, provided that it may be readily understandable by the judges. Only one design may be entered by any one designer in any one class. Each design must be enclosed separately in an envelope plainly marked "For the American Hat Prizes," or "For the American Afternoon Dress Prizes," or "For the American Evening Gown Prizes."

Those who distrust their ability to draw well need not be deterred from entering the contest, provided they can make their meaning perfectly clear. It is the jury's duty to perceive the spirit and beauty of the idea through the design, even though it be poorly executed, and the jury is composed of persons who are thoroughly trained in this accomplishment.

THE TIMES is hearing from many sources of the public interest taken in the contest and in the movement back of it which this contest is expected to test. Commenting on Mr. Edward Bok's activity in promoting American fashions for American women, The Boston Herald says:

"The Herald is not an authority on Parisian fashions, but it does believe Mr. Bok entirely correct in the economic importance which he attaches to style leadership. It is worth manifold more than any protective tariffs in swaying the currents of the world's trade. London's supremacy in the designs of men's clothing is such that it takes the American manufacturers six months to catch up, thereby offsetting materially the latter's tariff advantage. Another peculiarity of the economies of fashions, to which Mr. Bok does not allude, is illustrated by a well-known make of ginghams. Exactly as good can be made in the United States—and the superiority is in the dyeing—but they are not made here. Why? For the simple reason that the people who have money to pay for this cloth have educated themselves into buying the imported article, and it is useless for the honest American merchant to try to sell them the equivalent product of home production.

"This is the reverse of conditions in men's hats, silverwear, watches, and various articles on which foreigners often fraudulently affix an American stamp. Nor is Mr. Bok's list of articles in which we excel by any means complete. The great hold of the American shoe manufacturer in the foreign market, and his apparent safety at home without material protection, rests on his mastery of the styles. American shoes find a market in Canada, not only against those of local production, but in the face of British importations stimulated by the imperial preference.

"Happy is the land which is recognized as a fashion maker.

"'In the four quarters of the globe, who reads an American book, or goes to an American play, or looks at an American picture or statue,' wrote Sydney Smith in 1820. The change that has come over the world in this regard has given currency to his saying. Mr. Bok recognizes that Smith, were he living to-day, would have some basis for including fashionable millinery and gowns in his list; and to change all that is the mission which the enterprising Philadelphia editor has set out to perform."

PROUTY ON MELLEN MERGER.

Commission Will Recommend Dissolution if Evidence Warrants.

Special to The New York Times.

BOSTON, Dec. 29.—Chairman C. A. Prouty of the Inter-State Commerce Commission in an interview to-day strongly gave the inference that a dissolution of the New Haven-Boston & Maine merger was likely to be asked for as a result of the hearing of charges of New England shippers against the New York, New Haven & Hartford.

"Dissolution of monopolies is in the air," said he in reply to a question as to how serious the situation was in New England. "The Government started to dissolve the New Haven monopoly some time ago, but dropped it because the Southern Pacific case was thought to be against it. Since then the Supreme Court has reversed the decision in the Southern Pacific case, but I don't know what the Government intends to do about it.

"The commission, however, will recommend the dissolution if the evidence warrants it. We intend to make a number of recommendations as a result of these hearings in Boston. On the other hand, if we think that the monopoly should not be dissolved, we will recommend accordingly.

"The people of New England think they are getting pretty poor service. The commission will have to determine whether the service is worse than in other sections of the country. There is no question that it ought to be improved."

Chairman Prouty, who is hearing the charges against the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, was tied up for two hours at Lyndonville, Vt., recently by the breakdown of an engine.

The Commissioner was on his way home, when the engine collapsed. Because there was no spare engine to replace the broken one, it had to be repaired while the passengers waited, chafing at the delay.

The Commissioner laughingly declared that it would make no difference in his report on the New Haven, but the accident in Vermont appears to have made a deep impression on him.

FLOCK TO INSPECT THE BIGGEST HOTEL

The McAlpin Thronged with Visitors When Its Doors Are Opened for Business.

A HOTEL OF SPECIALTIES

Separate Floors for Men, Women, and Night Workers—Has 1,500 Guest Rooms Altogether.

The doors of the Hotel McAlpin were thrown open to the public yesterday for the first time. There had been a private housewarming for the city's newest hotel on Friday evening, and on Saturday the dining rooms and corridors were thronged with those who had gone there in response to the opening announcement sent to them through the mails. But yesterday the hotel was ready for business.

The visitor to the new hotel is first impressed by its size. It has accommodations for 2,500 guests, 1,500 persons are employed in it, and it cost $13,500,000. It extends twenty-five stories above Broadway and sixty feet beneath the surface of the street. Among other things, the four basements contain a rathskeller said to be the largest in New York, but not yet quite ready for use. More interesting than the basement is the roof. It is so high above the street that the hotel seems isolated from other buildings.

The ballroom and convention hall are on the top floor. It is smaller than some of the ballrooms of the city, such as the one at the Hotel Astor, for the McAlpin is built in three unbridged wings, and the ballroom is confined to the dimensions of one of these wings. On that floor, too, are the Turkish bath and plunge. The top floor is not yet finished, and it has not been decided whether the Turkish bath will be open to the public or reserved for the use of the hotel's guests.

The McAlpin has many features peculiar to it among hotels. For one thing there is a woman's floor to which no men are admitted, and where even the clerks are women. Unattended women need not go to the main desk to register. The twenty-second floor is devoted to men exclusively, and here all the attendants are men. The floor is provided with a general lounge or clubroom, equipped with card tables and a bar.

Perhaps the last word in specialization is the sixteenth floor, known already as the "Sleepy Sixteenth." On this floor, all through the busiest hours of the day, the silence of night will be preserved, for it is set aside for the use of night workers as a place where they may do their daylight slumbering undisturbed. It is far above the noise and swirl of one of the busiest crossways in the world.

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W. ROCKEFELLER'S ILLNESS.

Dr. Chappell, His Physician, Tells of the Condition of His Throat.

Dr. Walter F. Chappell of 7 East Fifty-fifth Street made a statement yesterday to a TIMES reporter to set at rest the rumors in circulation regarding the health of William Rockefeller, for whom the long and futile search by Charles F. Riddell, Sergeant at Arms of the House, bearing a subpoena from the Pujo committee, has at last been been called off. Dr. Chappell has already written to the Pujo committee certifying to the seriousness of Mr. Rockefeller's throat trouble. He said yesterday:

"The condition of Mr. Rockefeller's throat is such as commonly follows gouty affection. The larynx carries knob-like protuberances that interfere with clear speech. My advice to him has been to use his voice as little as possible and not permit himself to yield to excitement."

CREELMAN GOES TO THE MAIL

Quits as Head of Civil Service Board, to Resume Newspaper Work.

James Creelman, whose resignation as President of the Municipal Civil Service Commission goes into effect to-morrow, will become associate editor of The New York Evening Mail on that day.

Henry L. Stoddard, editor of The Mail, has known Mr. Creelman for thirty years. The new associate editor will take an active part in the management of the paper, it was said, sharing in the direction of its policy and contributing special articles under his signature. Mr. Creelman had been employed in newspaper work for more than thirty years when Mayor Gaynor chose him first as a member of the Board of Education and later as President of the Civil Service Commission. His resignation of this place was sudden and the circumstances surrounding it were not explained either by Mr. Creelman or Mayor Gaynor.

JANUARY SALE

Commencing Thursday next, January 2, and continuing throughout the month, we will offer our entire stock of Table Damasks, Bed Linens, Towels, Towelings, Ornamental Linens and Handkerchiefs, at a

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PRICE is the all important thing just now.
Come in and see how much real value each price in this sale offers.

Lot A—$20, $22.50 and $25 Suits and Overcoats $15.00
Lot B—$25, $28, $30 and $35 Suits and Overcoats $19.50
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Lot D—$40 and $45 Suits and Overcoats . . $30.00
Lot E—$45 and $50 Suits and Overcoats . . $35.00

Start the New Year With the Right Evening Clothes

$40 Take advantage of this week's special offer. Have made to your measure, for $40, an evening dress suit that few can equal and none can excel—coat and trousers of finest imported drape, waistcoat of black, gray or white silk as you prefer—silk lined throughout—and all the style, fit and finish of suits that cost $60 to $80 elsewhere. Tuxedo suits, $35. $40

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Grand display of all breeds. Pigeons, game birds, bantams, fancy fowls, exhibition yards, etc.
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ROBERSON'S Travelogue on BEAUTIFUL Wales at the Welsh Church, 13th St. bet. 2d & 3d Avs. TO-NIGHT At 8. Adm. 50c. Gwent Glee Singers will assist.

HURTIG & SEAMON'S West 125th St. Mat. Daily. Beauty, Youth and Folly, with "Blutch" Cooper & Tom McRae. Wrestling To-morrow Night.

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METROPOLITAN OPERA HOUSE
To-night at 7:45—Tristan und Isolde. Gadski, Homer; Burrian, Weil, Griswold. Conductor, Toscanini.
New Year's Eve—Special—Double Bill—Butterfly. Farrar, Fornia; Martin, Scotti, Bada. Cond., Toscanini; Ballet, Coppelia. Adeline Genee, M. Volinine. Prices $1 to $5.
New Year's Mat. at 1—Parsifal. Fremstad; Burrian, Weil, Witherspoon, Goritz. Cond., Hertz.
Wed. at 8:30—Barbiere di Sivoglia. Hempel; Macnez (debut), Amato, Segurola, Pini-Corsi, Bada. Conductor, Sturani.
Thurs. at 8—Huguenots. Destinn, Hempel, Alten; Caruso, Didur, Gilly, Rothier. Con., Polacco.
Fri. at 8:15—Trovatore. Gadski, Homer; Slezak, Amato, Rossi. Conductor, Sturani.
Sat. Mat. at 2—Tosca. Farrar; Caruso, Scotti, Pini-Corsi, Rossi. Cond., Toscanini.
Next Mon. at 8—Otello. Alda, Marbourg; Slezak, Amato, Segurola. Con., Toscanini.
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ALHAMBRA 7 Av. & 126 St. Zelda Sears, Pat Rooney & Marion Bent, Tom Terriss & Co., Herman Timberg, others.
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NEW YORK'S LEADING THEATRES.

EMPIRE B'way 40th St. Evs. 8:15. Mats. Wed., Thur. & Sat. 2:15. 3 Mats. This Week—Wed., Thurs., Sat. LAST 17 TIMES. MAUDE ADAMS in J. M. Barrie's PETER PAN.

WALLACK'S B'way & 30th St. Evs. 8:10. Mats. Wed. & Sat. 2:10. LAST 12 NIGHTS. LAST 4 MATS. NAZIMOVA in the play from the novel Bella Donna

LYCEUM West 45th St. Evs. at 8:20 sharp. Mats. Wed., Thurs. & Sat. 2:20. 3 Mats. This Week, Wed., Thurs., Sat. LAST 9 TIMES. MISS BILLIE BURKE in Pinero's THE MIND THE PAINT GIRL.

NEXT MONDAY Seats Thurs. Laura Hope Crews and H. B. Warner in "BLACKBIRDS" A New Play by HARRY JAMES SMITH.

Alan Dale—says: "The Conspiracy is more vivid than Within the Law."

GARRICK 35th St., nr. B'way. Evs. 8:30. Matinees Wed. & Sat. 2:15. "More interesting than 'The Whip.'"—Ev. Sun. THE CONSPIRACY "A LIVE WIRE PLAY."—WORLD.

CRITERION B'way, 44th St. Evs. 8:15. Matinees Wed. & Sat. 2:15. Robert Hilliard in "THE ARGYLE CASE."

FULTON 46 St. W. of B'way. Evs. 8:15. Mats. To-day, Wed. & Sat. 2:15. POPULAR PRICED EXTRA MATINEE TODAY THE YELLOW JACKET

HUDSON 44th St., E. of B'way. Evs. 8:15. Mats. Wed. & Sat. 2:15. MRS. FISKE in THE HIGH ROAD

HARRIS W. 42d St. Begins To-Night At 8:15. Mats. New Year's Day, Thurs. & Sat. CHEER UP By Mary Roberts Rinehart.

Park 59 St. & Columbus Circle. Eve. at 8:25. Matinees Wed. & Sat. 2:20. Lina Abarbanell in "Miss Princess."

PARK 59th St., Columbus Circle. SPECIAL MATINEE TO-DAY (MONDAY) at 2:30 WORLD FAMOUS DANCER—ADELINE GENEE in "LA DANCE." Tickets 50c.-$2.00. Now at Box Office. Mgt. R. E. JOHNSTON.

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REPUBLIC THEATRE, W. 42d St. Evenings at 8:15. Matinees at 2:15. 3 Mats. THIS WEEK TO-MORROW (TUES.) WEDNESDAY SATURDAY —LAST WEEK— THE GOVERNOR'S LADY * * * WED. NIGHT, JAN. 8—Seats Thurs. DAVID BELASCO will present the fairy play A GOOD LITTLE DEVIL With a Notable Belasco Company.

TO-NIGHT Little Theatre. 240 W. 44th. TO-DAY. Every Evg. 8:45, Sat. Mat. 2:30. Rutherford & Son The CHILDREN'S Fairy Play, Afts. Except Sat. 3:30 & Sat. 11 A. M. Snow White

3:30 TO-DAY RACKETTY PACKETTY HOUSE at the CHILDREN'S THEATRE, Century Theatre Building, 62d St. & 8th Av. Phone 8800 Columbus. Prices $1, $1.50, $2. Bring Father and Mother WITH YOU. Extra Morning Perf'ces New Year's & Sat. 10:45.

CENTURY Thea. 62d & 8th Av. Evs. 8:10. Matinee New Year's, 2:10. Prices New Year's Eve. 25c. to $2. No Higher. Last Performances Jan. 1. Beautiful Lou-Gautier Spectacle The Daughter of Heaven with Viola Allen On Saturday Afternoon, Jan. 11, Will Occur the First Production of JOSEPH AND HIS BRETHREN, by Louis N. Parker. SALE OF SEATS OPENS MON., JAN. 6. Mail orders filled in order received.

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